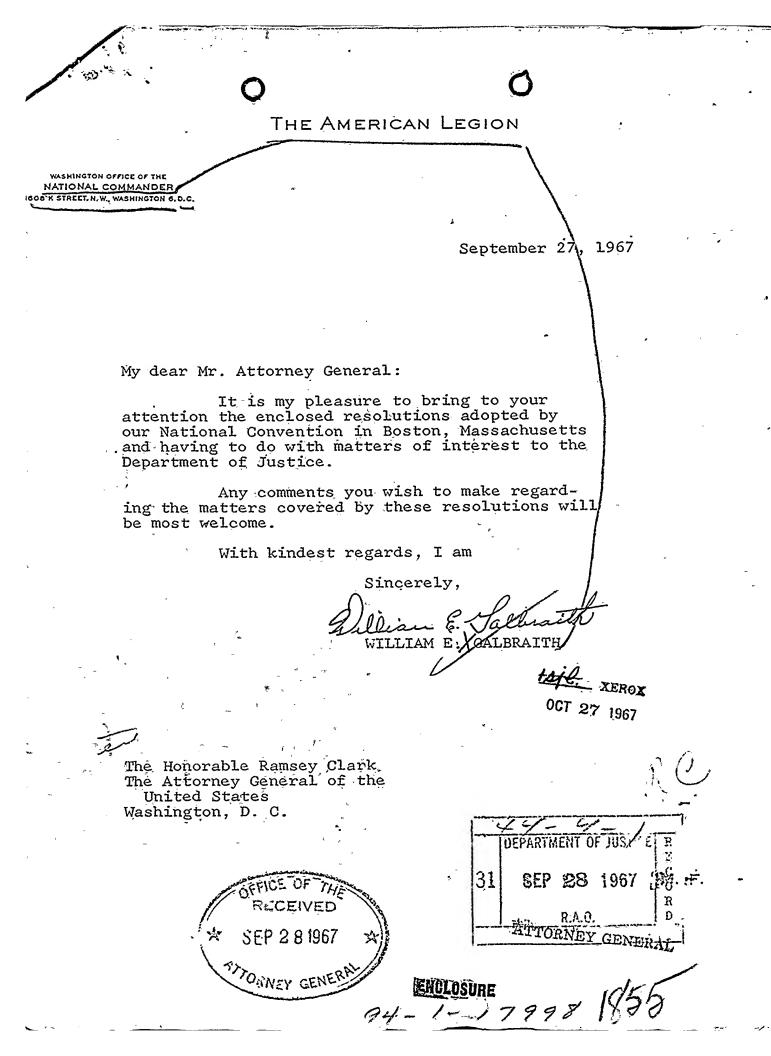
_united states government PEPARTMENT OF JUSTI 1emoran'aum Director TO DATE: Federal Bureau of Investigation Mr. Conrad. Mr. Felt J. Walter Yeagley October 1 BMA-GF2 Assistant Attorney General Mr. Sul.,v. Internal Security Division Mr. Tavel. Mr. Trotter Tele. Room. Miss Holmes CORRESPONDENCE FROM MR. WILLIAM E. GALBRAITH, Miss Gandy. NATIONAL COMMANDER OF THE AMERICAN LEGION Enclosed are copies of a letter from Mr. William E. Galbraith, National Commander of the American Legion and two commendatory resolutions which were adopted by the Forty-Ninth Annual Convention of the American Legion. I amgalso enclosing for your information a copy of my response to Mr. Galbraith. Enclosures DUPL COPIES DETACHED EZ OCT \$3: 1957 OCT 27 1987 550CT 311967



FORTY-NINTH ANNUAL NATIONAL CONVENTION OF THE AMERICAN LEGION BOSTON, MASSACHUSETTS, AUGUST 29, 30, 31, 1967

Resolution No. 42

Committee: Americanism

Subject:

Commending F.B.I. Director, J. Edgar Hoover, for Fifty Years of Outstanding Service to our Nation

WHEREAS, J. Edgar Hoover, the distinguished Director of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, has long been a stalwart supporter of The American Legion and the ideals for which it stands; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Hoover on July 26, 1967, celebrated his 50th Anniversary of dedicated and outstanding service to our Government and the American public; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Hoover, during the entirety of his singular career, has been a tenacious foe of the Communist conspiracy, a tower of strength in the struggle against crime, and a zealous protector of the rights of the citizen; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, by The American Legion in National Convention assembled in Boston, Massachusetts, August 29, 30, 31, 1967, That The American Legion does hereby commend Mr. Hoover for his long tenure of brilliant and devoted service to our country.

FORTY-NINTH ANNUAL NATIONAL CONVENTION OF THE AMERICAN LEGION BOSTON, MASSACHUSETTS, AUGUST 29, 30, 31, 1967

Resolution No. 417

Committee: Americanism

Subject: Commend the Federal Bureau of Investigation

WHEREAS, The American Legion is gravely concerned with the swelling rate of crime in our country, particularly the corrupting influence of organized crime amidst our municipal and private enterprises, and the shocking extent of juvenile participation in crimes of violence which are eroding our greatest natural resource - the youth of our Nation; and

WHEREAS, the FBI has been in the forefront in the never ending struggle by law enforcement to stem this ravenous criminality which is undermining the moral and spiritual fabric of our country; and

WHEREAS, the FBI through vigilant, unselfish service to our Nation, has constantly alerted and warned the American public of the great dangers inherent in this cancerous growth of criminality; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, by The American Legion in National Convention assembled in Boston, Massachusetts, August 29, 30, 31, 1967, That The American Legion does hereby commend the FBI for its splendid achievements and offers full cooperation of this organization in the relentless effort to expose organized crime and allay the disturbing trend of youthful criminality.

Mr. William E. Galbraith National Commander The American Legion 1608 K Street, N. W. Washington, D. C. 20006

Dear Mr. Galbraith:

I have your letter of September 27, 1967 to the Attorney General enclosing copies of five resolutions which were adopted by the Forty-Ninth Annual Convention of The American Legion.

The commendatory resolutions regarding the Federal Bureau of Investigation and Mr. J. Edgar Hoover are highly valued and I have taken the liberty of forwarding copies directly to Mr. Hoover.

Pursuant to your request, I appreciate the opportunity to comment on the other resolutions.

With regard to Resolution 180, may I assure you that the activities of individuals involved in the voyage of the "Phoenix" in sending and actually delivering supplies to North Vietnam are being investigated by the Treasury Department to determine whether there is sufficient evidence to establish a violation of the Foreign Assets Control regulations issued pursuant to Section 5(b) of the Trading With the Enemy Act. These regulations prohibit certain transactions with North Vietnam or its nationals unless the transactions have been licensed by the Treasury Department.

You may be sure that in carrying out our responsibility we will evaluate very carefully the results of the Treasury's investigation and take whatever action is warranted by the evidence.

As to the prosecution of ________ Herbert Aptheker and ______ for their unauthorized travel to North Vietnam, Section 1185(b) of Title 8, United States Code requires United States citizens to possess a valid passport when departing from or entering the United States during the time of a national emergency, and therefore purports to preclude the travel of citizens to certain countries unless they possess passports validated for travel to such a country.

On January 10, 1967, the Supreme Court in the case of United States v. Laub, 385 U.S. 475, which involved travel by United States citizens to Cuba, held that a geographical travel restriction imposed on an otherwise valid passport could not serve as a predicate for criminal liability in the absence of a specific act of Congress. In light of this decision, neither Aptheker, or who possessed passports at the time of their travel, are subject to prosecution under Section 1185(b).

We also investigated their travel to determine whether or not they violated the provisions of Title 18, United States Code, Section 1544 which makes it an offense for any citizen to use or attempt to use a passport in violation of any of the conditions or restrictions which it contains. However, in this regard we have been unable to develop sufficient evidence to warrant prosecution.

With regard to the resolution requesting that the Department of Justice investigate the activities of Stokely Carmichael to determine if he should be deprived of his citizenship, I should like to note that he is an American citizen, having acquired derivative citizenship through his father, and consequently, under existing law, his citizenship cannot be revoked.

However, we are looking into his activities, including his travel to Cuba, to ascertain whether he has acted in violation of any Federal statute within our jurisdiction.

In the event sufficient evidence is developed to establish a violation of Federal law, appropriate action will be undertaken.

Your interest in forwarding these resolutions is appreciated.

Sincerely,

J. WALTER YEAGLEY
Assistant Attorney General

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MR. WILLIAM E. GALBRAITH

NATIONAL COMMANDER OF THE AMERICAN LEGION

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ACCOMMODATIONS

Hilton Hawaiian Village Hotel (Phone: Hono 994321)

TRANSPORTATION
(Phone: Navy 57233/52126)

Navy Sedan

Driver: SN Carter

SCHEDULE

Saturday, 7 October 1967

Arrive Honolulu International Airport via Ran American Airlines flight# 100. Proceed to accommodations at the Hilton Hawaiian Village Hotel. Remainder of day as arranged by the American Legion, Department of Hawaii.

Sunday, 8 October 1967

As desired.

Monday, 9 October 1967

- 0800 Depart hotel for National Memorial Cemetery of the Pacific, at the Punchbowl.
- 0905 Proceed from Punchbowl to CINCPACFLT Boat House, Aiea landing.
- O945 Tour Pearl Harbor and lay wreath at the U.S.S. Arizona Memorial.
- 1015 Depart CINCPACFLT Boat House for Headquarters, CINCPAC Camp H. M. Smith.
- 1030 Call on Admiral U. S. G. Sharp, USN, Commander in Chief Pacific.

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Monday, 9 Octobe 967 (Continued)

- 1045 Attend Pacific Command briefing in the Command Center.
- Luncheon in the Gold Room, Camp Smith Commissioned Officers' Closed Mess, hosted by LtGen C. E. Hutchin, Jr., USA, Chief of Staff, CINCPAC. (By invitation)
- Depart Camp H. M. Smith for U. S. Army, Tripler General Hospital. Remainder of day as scheduled by American Legion.

Tuesday, 10 October 1967

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As scheduled by American Legion.

Wednesday, 11 October 1967

- 0730 Baggage pick-up by CINCPAC Protocol.

 Depart hotel for Aloha Room, Honolulu International Airport.
- 0930 Depart Hawaii via Pan American Airlines flight# 842
- NOTE: The U.S. Department of Agriculture requires an inspection of all baggage destined for the mainland. Please have baggage unlocked or give the keys to the Protocol Representative who picks up baggage.

Director of Protocol Col G. D. Bradley, USMC Office Ph: Navy 39604 Home Ph: Navy 59139 Deputy Director of LCo1 **USA** Office Ph: Navy Protocol: Home Ph: Army LC4r [USN Aide and Flag Lt · to CINCPAC Office Ph: Navy Home Ph: Navy Phones: Navy CINCPAC Command

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From City Telephones to call:

Representatives:

Navy - dial 430 and then number desired. Air Force and Army - dial number desired.

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Army and Air Force - dial 16 and then the number desired.

City - dial 9 and then number desired.

From Army and Air Force Telephones to call:

Navy - dial 3 and then the number desired. City - dial 9 and then the number desired. October 19, 1967

PERSONAL

photograp. Mr. William F. Hauck National Adjutant The American Legion N 1608 K Street, N. W.

Washington, D. C. 20006

Dear Mr. Hauck:

I certainly was pleased to learn of your appointment as National Adjutant and want to express my heartiest congratulations. I am sure you will serve faithfully and well, and my associates join me in wishing you all possible success in your new position.

Sincerely yours,

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J. Edgar Hoover

14 OCT 20 1967

Mr. DeLoach Mr. Hanning

NOTE: Mr. Hauck is on the Special Correspondents List and prior to the above appointment was Director of the Washington Office of The American Legion.

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INDIANAPOLIS, IND. -- AMERICAN LEGION NATIONAL COMMANDER WILLIAM GALBRAITH TODAY ANNOUNCED THE APPOINTMENT OF WILLIAM HAUCK, 50, EETHESDA, ND., AS NATIONAL ADJUTANT.

HAUCK HAS SERVED AS ACTING NATIONAL ADJUTANT SINCE THE CLOSE OF THE 1967 NATIONAL CONVENTION AUG. 31. HE IS THE NINTH MAN TO HOLD THE CHIEF ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE AND WILL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR SUPERVISING THE LEGION'S NATIONAL HEADQUARTERS STAFF OF 390 EMPLOYES HERE AND IN WASHINGTON AND IN NEW YORK.

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Photo by Chase Ltd, LEGION POST — William F. Hauck, 50, was named national adjutant of the American Legion. Hauck is the former Indiana State Legion adjutant and now makes his home in Bethesda. He's a life member_of. Post 178 in Garrett, Ind.

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94-1-17998-1857 ENCLOSURE

OPTIONAL FORM NO. 10 MAY 1962 EDITION GSA GEN. REG. NO. 27 \$010-106 UNITED STATES GOV ${\it lemorandum}$ Gale TO DATE: 10-19-67 Mr. Tolson Rosen Sullivan Tavel Trotter Tele. Room **FROM** C. D. DeLoach Holmes SUBJECT: NATIONAL EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETINGS THE AMERICAN LEGION National INDIANAPOLIS, INDIANA OCTOBER 46-18, 1967 U With the Director's approval, I spent $1 \frac{1}{2}$ days in Indianapolis at captioned meetings. I thought you might be interested in the high-lights. I reported to the National Executive Committee on budgetary and other matters and received a most satisfactory response. The Public Relations Commission, of which I am Chairman, was commended by the National Executive Committee for developing the theme, "Freedom Is Not Free, "for this Legion year. As you will recall, this theme was based on the Director's Introduction which appeared in the July, 1963, Law Enforcement Bulletin. This theme has been accepted with a great amount of enthusiasm on the part of the Legionnaires and is receiving considerable coverage by the news media. As you are aware, a column by Joseph Young, which appeared in "The Evening Star" on May 19, 1967, indicated that The American Legion has asked Congress to place all non Civil Service Federal agencies under Civil Service and Veterans Preference Coverage. The column listed a number of agencies, including the FBI. I advised you at that time that Young was completely in error and that the FBI had been specifically placed in an exempt catagory. In connection with this particular resolution by The American Legion, I meet with several chairmen of various committees at 8 a.m., Tuesday, October 17th, and arranged to have the entire resolution withdrawn. The withdrawal of this resolution was approved by the National Executive Committee. The Executive Section of the Americanism Commission met in Indianapolis and considered some 54 different resolutions. One resolution, which was apparently sponsored by an advocate of the National Rifle CRIVE REMARKS CDD:smg 16 OCT 2A 1967 (Continued next page) 53NOV1

COPY SENT TO MR. TOLSON

C. D. DeLoach to Tolson Memo RE: National Executive Committee Meetings

Association, called upon The American Legion to unanimously oppose legislation introduced by Senator Thomas J. Dodd (D - Connecticut) (S. 1) requiring registration of firearms. This resolution was rejected.

A second resolution dealing with riots and civil disturbances called for, among other things, the FBI to promptly notify the governor of a state, the mayor of a city and local law enforcement officials when any leader of a subversive group traveled into such a state or city. We arranged to have this portion of the resolution deleted.

The National Convention Corporation also met in Indianapolis and awarded next year's Convention to New Orleans, Louisiana. The Convention next year will be held from September 6 to September 12, 1968. In addition, tentative commitments have also been granted to Atlanta, Georgia, and Phoenix, Arizona. Numerous other cities across the Nation have put in bids for future Conventions.

Mr. William F. Hauck, a close, personal-friend and a staunch supporter of the Bureau who has met Mr. Hoover on several occasions and is on the Special Correspondents' List, was named National Adjutant of The American Legion to replace Mr. E. A. Blackmore who died during the past year. A letter of congratulations from the Director has been sent to Mr. Hauck. He (Mr. Hauck) will continue to reside in Washington, D. C., and will be of assistance to the Bureau.

RECOMMENDATION:

For information.

BY SPECIAL MESSENGER

Br	Station Hilton Hotel 16th and K Streets, Northwest Washington, D. C. Dear — CENERAL O It was certainly a pleasure to see you and The American Lexion. Top Teens in my office yesterday. I am enclosing a copy of the photograph made at that time which I thought you might like to have as a memento of the occasion.	
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M. A. Jones to Bishop Memo RE: THE AMERICAN LEGION "TOP TEENS"

Bufiles and the files of the Identification Division are negative concerning these three individuals.

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	In February. 1967, the Bureau conducted limited investigation concerning of Northbrook, Illinois. This was based on the fact that he was identified as an individual who had visited the Soviet Embassy the day before. The case was closed when it was determined that he was a member of the faculty of New Trier Township High School, Winnetka, Illinois, and had visited the Soviet Embassy in connection with a school tour. The files of the Identification Divison are negative concerning
	The three boys will be accompanied by a staff member of The American Legion from Indianapolis, Indiana. is well known to Mr. DeLoach and Bufiles and the files of the Identification Division are negative concerning him. RECOMMENDATIONS:
	1. That if the Director's schedule permits, he greet and be photographed with these boys preferably during the morning of Monday, November 6th next. 2. That this group be conducted on a special tour of Bureau facilities.
-	3. That this memorandum be returned to the Crime Records Division so that The American Legion Headquarters can be advised of the Director's decision in this matter.

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November 13, 1967

AMERICAN Legion - National

Honorable William E. Galbraith National Commander The American Legion 700 North Pennsylvania Street-Indianapolis, Indiana 46204

Dear Mr. Galbraith:

I am enclosing a copy of the November,

1967, issue of "The Investigator," the employee
publication of the FBI, which I thought you might like to
have. Recently, wounded servicemen undergoing treatment
at Walter Reed General Hospital visited Bureau Headquarters.

Photographs were taken on that occasion, and these appear on
pages 24 and 25.

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NOTE: Mr. Galbraith is on the Special Correspondents List.

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0-20 (Re. 7-27-67) Casper Callahan -Conrad Felt. Gale. Rosen . Sullivan Tavel . Trotter. Tele. Room. Holmes . Gandy . UPI-92 THE WCNS DAYBOOK MONDAY, NOV. 6 NEWS BRIEFING--10:00 A.M.--REP. WILLIAM HUNGATE, ROOM 2226, RAYBURN BLDG. SUBJECT: RESULTS OF SURVEY OF MEMBERS OF CONGRESS CONCERNING THE ACCURACY AND FAIRNESS OF NEWS MEDIA. NEWS BRIEFING--11:00 A.M.--D.C. COUNCIL CHAIRMAN JOHN HECHINGER, ROOM 503, DISTRICT BUILDING. NEWS CONFERENCE -- 2:00 P.M. -- USIA DIRECTOR LEONARD H. MARKS, ROOM 700, 1750 PENNSYLVANIA AVE. N.W. SUBJECT: INTRODUCE NEW CHIEF OF MOTION PICTURES AND TV SERVICE. SCHEDULE FOR THREE YOUNG PEOPLE CHOSEN BY THE AMERICAN LEGION AS... "TOP TEENS": NEWS CONFERENCE, LEGION HEADQUARTERS, 1608 K ST. NW FBI DIRECTOR HOOVER. LUNCH WITH SEN. YARBOROUGH. 10:00 NOON 4:00 SEN. DIRKSEN. FIVE-DAY SYMPOSIUM ON THE FUTURE OF CATHOLIC EDUCATION, SPONSORED BY THE NATIONAL CATHOLIC EDUCATION ASSOCIATION, OPENS AT THE MARRIOTT TWIN BRIDGES MOTEL, 9:30 A.M. SUPREME COURT MEETS FOR DECISIONS AND ARGUMENTS, 10:00 A.M.

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ASSEMB/ Y OF THE GENERAL GRAND CHAPTER, ORDER OF THE EASTERN STAR, FEATURES PRESENTATION OF THREE-YEAR-OLD BORN BLIND. BUT WHO NOW HAS NORMAL VISION FOLLOWING TWO OPERATIONS FINANCED BY THE EASTERN STAR, NATIONAL GUARD ARMORY, 10:00 A.M. CONTACT: LOU BROTT, ME-8-1441.

COMMERCE SECRETARY TROWBRIDGE SPEAKS AT LUNCHEON OF THE WOMAN'S NATIONAL DEMOCRATIC CLUB, BLUE ROOM, SHOREHAM, 12:15 P.M. SUBJECT: THE SENSE AND NONSENSE OF EAST-WEST TRADE.

REPRESENTATIVES OF THE TOKYO ELECTRIC POWER CO., JAPAN, AND OFFICIALS OF THE EXPORT-IMPORT BANK SIGN \$39.1 MILLION LOAN AGREEMENT, ROOM 1210, 811 VERMONT AVE. NW., 12:15 P.M.

REP. MARGARET HECKLER SPEAKS AT LUNCHEON OF THE D.C. LEAGUE OF REPUBLICAN WOMEN LUNCHEON, MAYFLOWER HOTEL, 12:30 P.M.

THREE-DAY CONFERENCE ON U.S.-BRAZIL INVESTMENT OPPORTUNITIES, SPONSORED BY THE NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF THE PARTNERS OF THE ALLIANCE, INC.. OPENS AT THE MARRIOTT TWIN BRIDGES MOTEL:

1:30 ADDRESSES BY BRAZILIAN AMBASSADOR VASCO LEITAO DA CUNHA AND SEAS VICE PRESIDENT EMORY WILLIAMS.

2:45 INVESTMENT PANEL.

PLENARY SESSION WITH PRESENTATIONS BY REPRESENTATIVES OF 8:00 BRAZIL'S NORTH AND NORTHEEAST STATES.

JORDAN'S KING HUSSEIN SPEAKS AT GEORGETOWN UNIVERSITY, GASTON HALL, 37TH AND O STS., NW, 8:00 P.M.

FCC CONFERENCES: 9:00 CATV, BLUEFIELD, W. VA. 9:00 LICENSE RENEWAL OF WEBY, MILTON, FLA. 10:00 NEW TV STATION AT SAN ANGELO, CALIF.

FCC HEARING, 10:00 A.M.: NEW RADIO STATION AT MACON, MISS.

FPC HEARINGS, 10:00 A.M.:
CINCINNATI GAS & ELECTRIC CO. (CERTIFICATES).
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WASHINGTON OFFICE OF THE NATIONAL COMMANDER 1608 K STREET, N.W., WASHINGTON, D. C. 20006

· November 9, 1967

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The President -The White House Washington, D. C.

My dear Mr. President:

I am advised that General Lewis B. Hershey recently directed a letter to all members of the Selective Service System outlining A procedures for the prompt and effective prosecution of persons who violate the Military Selective Service Act or who attempt to interfere with its administration. I assure you that Director Hershey's action has the full support of The American Legion.

Traditionally, we have looked upon service in our country's armed forces as a privilege, as well as a duty; and, since the enactment of the original Selective Service Act in 1940, The American "Legion has supported the draft as the best and fairest means of meeting the Nation's military-manpower needs.

We are deeply disturbed, however, over the increasing incidents of open defiance of the draft laws and regulations, and over the organized and purposeful attempts to disrupt the orderly operation of those laws and regulations. To permit such incidents and attempts to go unprosecuted at the very time we are sending our servicemen into combat would be morally, as well as legally wrong.

Therefore, Mr. President, I respectfully urge that you place the full force of your office behind General Hershey's directive to the end that all affected officers and agencies of the Federal Government will do everything required to bring all violators of our draft laws to justice. The American Legion stands ready to do whatever it can to assist you and your representatives in this vital effort.

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December 11, 1967

Honorable William E. Calbraith
National Commander
The American Legion
700 North Pennsylvania Street
Indianapolis, Indiana 46204

Dear Mr. Galbraith:

It is indeed a pleasure to enclose a copy of the December, 1967, issue of "The Investigator," the employee publication of the FBI. The photograph of you and other officials of The American Legion made in my office during your visit to Bureau Headquarters appears on page 21. I thought this might be of interest to you.

Please accept my very best wishes for every happiness during the Holiday Season and the New Year.

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Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

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THE AMERICAN LEGION NATIONAL HEADQUARTERS

Mr. Tolson Mr. DeLoach. Casper. Mr. Callahan. Mr. Conrad Mr. Felt. Mr. Gale. Mr. Rosen. Mr. Sullivan. Mr. Tavel. Mr. Trotter. Tele. Room.

December 14, 1967 17

The Honorable J. Edgar Hoover Director Federal Bureau of Investigation United States Department of Justice Washington, D. C. 20535

My dear Mr. Hoover:

OFFICE OF THE

NATIONAL COMMANDER

INDIANAPOLIS, INDIANA 46206

Upon my return to Indianapolis, following an extended tour in the field, your letters of November 13 and December 11 were brought to my attention. I appreciate your thoughtfulness in writing and sending me copies of the November and December issues of "The Investigator." They were indeed of interest to me, particularly the sections you called to my attention.

My very best wishes to you and the members of your staff for the Holiday Season.

Sincerely yours,

IAM E KGALBRAITH

National Commander

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OPTIONAL FORM NO. 10 MAY_1962 EDITION GSA**GEN; REG; MO. 27 5010-106 UNITED STATES GO MemorandumGale pate: December 12, 1967 · Mr. Bishop Rosen Manytehael Sullivan M. A. Jones Tele. R∞m SUBJECT: NATIONAL SECURITY COMMISSION AMERICANISM COMMISSION THE AMERICAN LEGION REQUEST FOR TOUR OF BUREAU FACILITIES AT QUANTICO, VIRGINIA BACKGROUND: The National Security Commission is one of the most powerful Commissions in the Legion. Its long-time Chairman is Emmett G. Lenihan of Seattle, Washington, the uncle of Special Agent Robert E. Lenihan of the Domestic Intelligence Division. It also has among its membership many prominent individuals such as Colonel Roscoe Turner, the former well-known speed flyer, who is known to the Director. The Americanism Commission, is the Commission which Mr. DeLoach served on prior to being named Chairman of the Public Relations Commission. SA Hanning has been the National Commander's representative to this Commission for many years. The Americanism Commission is the Commission which annually passes numerous resolutions commendatory of the Bureau and the Director. In January of 1959, while attending meetings in Washington, the Director approved the representatives of these Commissions who were in attendance going to Quantico by Bureau bus, having lunch at the FBI Academy as guests of the Bureau and then witnessing a firearms demonstration. Despite the fact that this trip took place almost 10 years ago, the Legionnaires are still talking about it and it was one of the all-time highlights of their annual visits to Washington. It certainly generated even greater respect on the part of the Legionnaires for the FBI and helped immeasurably our liaison with that REC 1694 TECT3 / 29981 1866 organization. CURRENT REQUEST: The annual Washington Conference of The American Legion which has grown into a small National Convention will be held in Washington on March 4-7, 1968. Officials of The American Legion have approached Mr: DeLoach and requested if it would again be possible for selected members of the National Security Commission and the Americanism Commission to make a trip to Quantico similar to the one they made in 1959. If possible, they D-YMM DeLoas68 1 - Mr. Bishop

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M. A. Jones to Bishop Memo

RE: NATIONAL SECURITY COMMISSION, AMERICANISM COMMISSION THE AMERICAN LEGION

would like to have this trip scheduled for March 5, 1968. It should be pointed out that the members of the National Security Commission are briefed by the top representatives of the Army, Navy, Air Force, Marine Corps and ther top defense officials while they are in Washington. It is felt that it would be to the Bureau's advantage that we accede to their request for a tour of Quantico and that we invite them to be our luncheon guests while they are there as we did the last time. The only cost involved would be the use of the Bureau bus and the cost of the meals for those who would attend. It is anticipated there would be no more than 30 in the group and it is felt that the cost would be more than offset by the advantages accruing to the Bureau.

RECOMMENDATIONS:

1. That approval be given for this group to be taken to Quantico by Bureau bus on March 5, 1968, for a tour of the FBI Academy, lunch and a shooting exhibition.

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2. That this memorandum be returned to Mr. DeLoach so that he may advise the appropriate Legion officials of the Director's decision in this matter.

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The American Legion
700 North Pennsylvania Street
Indianapolis, Indiana 46204

Dear

Enclosed is a copy of the January, 1968, issue of "The Investigator," the employee publication of the FBI.

The photograph of you and "Top Teens" of The American
Legion appears on page 35, and I thought you would like to have a copy.

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Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

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December 22, 1967 Honorable William Ex Galbraith National Commander The American Legion Post Office Box 1055 Indianapolis, Indiana 46206 Dear Mr. Galbraith: I have received your letter of December 19th and want to thank you for thinking of me in connection with your "Task Force For The Future." In response to your request, it is indeed a pleasure for me to accept the position of Consultant to this Sincerely yours, J. Edgar Hoove 1 - Indianapolis - Enclosure 1 - Miss Gandy - Enclosure ன்1 - Mr. Suttler - Enclosure Mr. Galbraith is on the Special Correspondents List. Bishop Felt. Rosen Sullivan Trotter Tele, Room Holmes

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OFFICE OF THE
NATIONAL COMMANDER
INDIANAPOLIS, INDIANA 46206

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Mr. J. Edgar Hoover, Director Federal Bureau of Investigation Department of Justice Washington, D.C. 20530

Dear Mr. Hoover:

I have this date appointed a seven man committee called the Task Force For The Future".

I am charging them with the following:

"Examine the posture of the United States in the areas of education, health and welfare, the condition of our economy and the conservation of our national resources;

"Examine the goals and programs of the Legion to determine their conformance with current patterns of American Life and to recommend new ways the Legion's 2 1/2 million members can make significant contributions to their country;

"Provide the Legion with a grand strategy to guide its course in the years to come; a clear road map of suggested activity for the next decade; long range aims to be met before the group's centennial in 2019."

The American Legion is the world's largest veterans organization. It was founded at a caucus of members of the American Expeditionary Force in Paris, France; March 15-17, 1919. A subsequent caucus in St. Louis, Missouri, May 9-10, 1919, created the machinery for the permanent organization. Congress chartered The American Legion on September 16, 1919 and the first national convention was held November 10-12, 1919 in Minneapolis, Minnesota at the time of the first anniversary of the World War I armistice

Today the Legion's members carry out a varied Regram of service including veterans' affairs, veterans' rehabilitation, child welfare, youth baseball, Boy's State and community affairs, in addition to patriotic projects.

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I believe this committee to be as important as the original committee that founded The American Legion in Paris fifty years ago. On this basis I am asking them to seek advice and counsel from leaders of government, labor, business, industry, the sciences and the academic world.

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J. Edgar Hoover

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December 19, 1967

In view of the foregoing, I am asking if you would be willing to act in the capacity of a Consultant to this committee. We assure you we will not trespass on your time, and possibly we can have many of our contacts by mail rather than in person.

I trust you will give this request your consideration, and that we will hear favorably from you.

With all good wishes, I am

Sincerely,

WILLIAM E. GALBRAITH

National Commander

THE AMERICAN LEGION
NATIONAL HEADQUARTERS
P. O. BOX 1055
INDIANAPOLIS, INDIANA 46206

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TO

The Director

DATE: 1-3-68

FROM

N. P. Callahan

AMERICAN LEGION -GENERAL

The Congressional Record

Page A8549. Senator Tauryond, (R) South Carolina, placed in. the Record a letter written by William E. Galbraith, national commander of the American Legion, to President Johnson voltering his full supported as A Cen. Lewis D. Hershey in his efforts to bring about presecution of persons who attempt to interclore with the killitary folocitive Service Act. At this time I wish to express my sympathy with the conclusion of this letter. "

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February 6, 1968

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REC-68

Honorable William E. Galbraith National Commander The American Legion

1608 K Street, N. W.

Washington, D. C. 20006

Dear Mr. Galbraith:

I have received the letter, with enclosure, from you and Mr. DeLoach inviting me to attend the luncheon of the National Public Relations Commission on March 7th. .

Although I would very much enjoy attending the luncheon, the demands of my official schedule make it impossible for me to do so. I have carefully reviewed my commitments in the hope of finding some opportunity to give your request a favorable response. Regrettably, there is none and I am sorry that I am unable to accept your kind invitation. I wish you every success in your program honoring Mr. Valenti.

> Sincerely yours, J. Edgar Hoover

1 - Mr. DeLoach - Enclosure

NOTE: Mr. Galbraith is on the Special Correspondents List.

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Miss Holmes_ Miss Gandy_

Mr. Tolson Mr. DeLoach

WASHINGTON OFFICE OF THE NATIONAL COMMANDER 1608 K STREET, N.W., WASHINGTON, D. C. 20006

February 1, 1968

The Honorable J. Edgar Hoover Director Federal Bureau of Investigation U. S. Department of Justice Washington, D. C. 20535

Dear Mr. Hoover:

Each year The American Legion presents its "National Commander's Public Relations Award" to an individual or organization of the communications industry.

The award will be presented this year to Jack Valenti, President of the Motion Picture Association of America, who has been chosen as designee by our National Public Relations Commission for having made noteworthy contribution to a continuous support of the basic precepts from which our American free society gains its continued strength and success.

The presentation will be made to Mr. Valenti at the annual National Public Relations Commission luncheon during the Washington Conference, at noon, Thursday, March 7th, in the Park Ballroom of the Sheraton-Park Hotel, preceded by a reception at 11:30 a.m.

We would like to extend to you a cordial invitation to join us on this occasion, as an honored head table guest, and will appreciate your acceptance, to James C. Watkins, National Public Relations Director, in order that your ticket may be mailed to

Sincerely yours,

C. D. "DEKE" DE LOACH, Chairmante Convince National Public Relations Commission

GALBRAITH National Commander

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Mr. James C. Watkins, Director National Public Relations Division The American Legion 1608 K Street, N.W. Washington, D.C. 20006

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I (will) (will not) attend the National Public Relations

Commission Luncheon honoring Jack Valenti, President of the

Motion Picture Association of America, on Thursday, March 7th,

in the Park Ballroom of the Sheraton-Park Hotel.

SIGNED:	

February 7, 1968

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94-1-17998- 1871

Honorable William E. Galbraith National Commander . The American Legion -Post Office Box-1055 Indianapolis, Indiana 46206

Dear Mr. Galbraith:

Your letter of February 2nd, with enclosures, advising me of the committee meeting of The American Legion Task Force For The Future to be held in Washington on March 5th and 6th, and the dinner on March 6th, has been received.

While I wish it were possible to be with you, I regret that the pressure of my schedule, coupled with those items which arise on a daily basis and demand my immediate attention, precludes my accepting any additional commitments at this time.

With respect to your request for suggestions, I have none to make at this time. I shall certainly keep the aims of this committee in mind, and should I have any ideas as to how the committee may best serve its stated purpose I shall relay them to you through Mr. DeLoach. I wish you all success in this undertaking, and I am sorry I shall be unable to be with you,

DeLoach . Mohr .

Bishop

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MAILED 30 FEB 7 1968 Sincerely yours, J. Edgar Hoover 121:0:

1 - Mr. DeLoach - Enclosure

NOTE: Mr. Galbraith is on the Special Correspondents List: By outgoing letter 12-22-67 the Director accepted the position of

Consultant to this group.

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OFFICE OF THE NATIONAL COMMANDER INDIANAPOLIS, INDIANA 46206

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February 2, 1968

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Mr. J. Edgar Hoover, Director Federal Bureau of Investigation Department of Justice Washington, D. C. 20530

Dear Mr. Hoover:

The American Legion Task Force For The Future, to which you have agreed to be a Consultant, has just completed its initial organizational meeting and now is making plans for future meetings.

The committee is particularly anxious to have the recommendations of its Consultants before it proceeds to the definition of any conclusions. We realize your time is precious and largely committed, and for that reason the committee and I have concluded we should seek a meeting with you at a time, or times, and at a place convenient for you. The committee, or some of its members, can match its schedule, in most instances, with your own availability. Any meeting of the committee is open to you whenever you feel you can or would like to attend.

The committee has scheduled its next meeting in Washington, D. C. on March 5-6, 1968 and it will headquarter at the Sheraton-Park Hotel. All of the committee members will be present at that time and could be at your disposition. Other meetings will be held probably in New York as well as in Washington, D. C. It would be my pleasure to have you attend the March meeting, with your actual expenses reimbursed by The American Legion. Enclosed is a request for reservations at the Sheraton-Park Hotel. If your schedule will permit you to attend this meeting, will you please complete the form and return it to the address shown in the upper left hand corner. If housing is not required, but you can attend the meetings, would you please notify me at the Washington office address. A dinner is scheduled at 7:30 p.m., March 6, at the Sheraton-Park Hotel, honoring the Congress of the United States. I would be pleased to have you attend as my guest for the United States. I would be pleased to have

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As an alternative to personal meeting, although personal meeting is preferable, we solicit any ideas you have as to how this committee could best serve its purposes. Our search is for guidance to help The American Legion plan its future, without ignoring its past. We want forthright appraisals of things as they are so that we might make them what they should be. Perhaps this attitude can be clarified by the statement that our search is for appraisals and not merely for approvals.

Because the next meeting of the committee will occur so quickly, I would welcome your early statement of your own schedule of availability, and whatever suggestions you might be inclined to give at this time.

Sincerely,

William & Hallwark
WILLIAM E. GALBRAITH
National Commander

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NATIONAL HEADQUARTERS
P. O. BOX 1055
INDIANAPOLIS, INDIANA 46206

PLEASE RETURN THE RESERVATION FORM TO THE WOUNGTON OFFICE

Mr. William F. Hauck National Adjutant The American Legion Washington Headquarters 1608 K Street, N.W. Washington, D.C. 20006

I will arrive in Washington on	, at
	(date) (time)
	I would like the following accommodation at th
(mode of travel)	
Sheraton-Park Hotel for	nights.
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Single	e \$12.00 plus tax
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5% District Sales Tax will be added	d to all room rates.
I will depart from Washington on	at
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* The hour of your arrival is very important. Hotels in this area will not hold reservations after 6:00 p.m., unless so notified. We will guarantee payment in the name of The American Legion if your arrival is after 6 p.m.

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TENTATIVE SCHEDULE OF MEETINGS EIGHTH ANNUAL WASHINGTON CONFERENCE - MARCH 3 - 8, 1968

	All mee	tings at Sheraton-Park unless otherwise	indicated
	Saturday - March 2 th	rough March 7	
	National Headquarters Public Relations Housing and Registrat	•	Baltimore/Annapolis Room Calvert Room Upper Concourse
-	Sunday - March 3		
	9:30 a.m. 2:00 p.m.	50th Anniversary Committee Department Service Officers Meeting	Madison Room Delaware Suite
	Monday - March 4	•	
	10:00 a.m. 11:00 a.m.	Finance Commission Rehabilitation Commission	National Adjutant's Suite Delaware Suite
	Tuesday - March 5	•	•
•	8:30 a.m.	National Security Commission	Lobby of Sheraton-Park - then to Quantico, Virginia
	8:45 a.m.	Legislative Commission	Frederick Room - then to the Capitol
	9:00 a.m. 9:00 a.m. 9:00 a.m. 9:00 a.m.	Foreign Relations Commission Economic Commission Task Force for the Future Committee Publications Commission	Alexandria Room Arlington Room Madison Room Richmond Room
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	2:00 p.m. 2:00 p.m. 2:00 p.m.	Rehabilitation Conference Child Welfare Screening Committee National Commander's Advisory Com.	Cotillion Room South Franklin Room Adams Room
	Wednesday - March 6		
	8:00 a.m. 8:30 -a.m.	Department Adjutants Breakfast National Security Commission .	Continental Room Lobby of Sheraton-Park - then to Pentagon
	9:00 a.m. 9:00 a.m. 9:00 a.m.	Child Welfare Foundation Breakfast Rehabilitation Conference Legislative Commission	Franklin Room Cotillion Room South Frederick Room
	9:00 a.m.	Foreign Relations Commission Economic Commission	Alexandria Room - then to State Department Arlington Room
	9:00 a.m. 9:00 a.m. 9:00 a.m.	Task Force for the Future Committee Publications Commission	Madison Room Richmond Room

NATIONAL COMMANDER'S RECEPTION AND BANQUET HONORING THE CONGRESS OF THE UNITED STATES, SHERATON-PARK HOTEL RECEPTION - 6:00 - 7:15 p.m. EXHIBIT HALL BANQUET - 7:30 p.m. SHERATON HALL

National Association of State

Directors Luncheon

Thurs day	 March	7

11:30 a.m.

a.m.	ANAVICUS Breakfast	Continental Room
ã.m.	Rehabilitation Conference	Cotillion Room South
a.m.	Legislative Commission	Frederick Room
a.m.	National Security Commission	Richmond Room
a.m.	Foreign Relations Commission	Alexandria Room
a.m.	Economic Commission	Arlington Room
a.m.	Reorganization Committee	Madison Room
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PUBLIC RELATIONS LUNCHEON Reception - 11:30 a.m. - 12:15 p.m. Luncheon - 12:15 p.m. PARK BALLROOM

Friday - March 8

9:00 a.m.

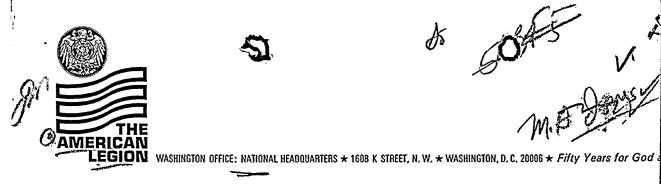
Rehabilitation Conference

Delaware Suite

Continental Room

REHABILITATION COMMISSION WILL MEET IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING ADJOURNMENT OF CONFERENCE

Mr. Tolson. Mr. DeLoach Mr. Mohr... Bishop ! The American Legion Mr. Casper.. Mr. Callahan NATIONAL HEADQUARTERS Mr. Conrad .. Mr. Felt.. OFFICE OF THE Mr. Gale. NATIONAL COMMANDER Mr. Rosen. INDIANAPOLIS, INDIANA 46206 Mr. Sullivan February 16, 1968 kir. Tavel. Mr. Protter. Tele. Room. Miss Holmes Miss Gandy. Mr. J. Edgar Hoover, Director Federal Bureau of Investigation United States Department of Justice Washington, D.C. 20530 Dear Mr. Hoover: I am exceedingly sorry you will be unable to participate in the Task Force For The Future meetings scheduled for Washington, D.C., March 5-6, 1968. I do realize, however, what a heavy schedule you must maintain, and I will hope that a future meeting will be scheduled at a time more convenient for you. If before March 5 thoughts do occur to you which you feel would be of benefit to the Task Force and give them direction for their future planning, please be assured'I will be happy to receive them. The situation as we see it is to attempt to determine what problems are facing America today, and possible solutions as to how a voluntary organization such as The American Legion can, in the coming fifty years, assist in the alleviation of these problems. I might add that the subject of law and NATIONAL order is of great interest to the committee. Possibly at a future meeting in Washington, D.C. you might find it convenient to present a short briefing to the committee in your office, and we will hope this can be arranged. Again, my regrets, Mr. Hoover, that you will be unable to be with us. EX-113 FEB 26 1968 Sincerely, WILLIAM E! GALBRAITH 54 MAR 4 National Commander AMERICAN LE GION INDIANAPOLIS, IND. HE AMERICAN LEGION NATIONAL HEADQUARTERS P. O. BOX 1055 INDIANAPOLIS, INDIANA 46206



Mr. DeLoach Mr./Mghr. Mr. Callahan. Mr. Conrad., Mr. Felt_ Mr. Gale ... Mr. Rosen. Mr. Sullivan Tele. Room. Miss Holmes. Miss Gandy.

April 5, 1968

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover, Director Federal Bureau of Investigation U.S. Department of Justice Washington, D.C. 20535

Dear Mr. Hoover:

I would like to take this opportunity to express appreciation, on behalf of The American Legion and myself, for the splendid editorial opportunity you afforded us in the current issue of the "FBI Law Enforcement Bulletin."

It may interest you to know that we are distributing ? this issue throughout The American Legion departments , so that it may have added exposure to our membership.

Sincerely yours,

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

The Director

4-572 (Rev. 7-18-63)

DATE: 4-4-68

FROM:

N. P. Callahan

SUBJECT:

The Congressional Record

NATIONAL

Pages H2565-H2566. Congressman Ashbrook, (R) Ohio, pointed a out that "for many years the National Americanism Commission of the American Legion has published a monthly newsletter, the American Legion Firing Line, which has brought to the attention of Legionnaires and other interested readers matters of interest concerning current events and national security. In its March issue, for instance, the newsletter refers to the danger stemming from U. S. Supreme Court decisions concerning various aspects of the domestic Communist threat. - - - In the same issue, the Firing Line comes to grips with an adversary of long standing, the American Civil Liberties Union. The issue of contention is the legislation which seeks to discourage and punish the desecration of the American flag, legislation which the ALCU opposed."

Mr. Ashbrook included the two above-mentioned articles with his remarks.

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UNITED STATES GOVENMENT

Memorandum

CARRY NO

Mr. DeLoath
Mr. Mohr
Mr. Mshop
Mr. Casper
Mr. Callahan
Mr. Conrad

TO

Director, FBI

Attention: Crime Records Division

DATE: 7/10

7/10/6gr. Gale_____ Mr. Rosen____ Mr. Sullivan__

FROM

SAC, Omaha

(136-1028)

Mr. Trotter_ Tele. Room_ Miss Holmes.

Mr. Tavel.

SUBJECT:

WILLIAM E. GALBRAITH

National Commander

OAmerican Legion -

INFORMATION CONCERNING

Miss Gandy_

For the Bureau's information, WILLIAM E. GALBRAITH, National Commander of the American Legion, who resides at Beemer, Nebraska, was the speaker at today's meeting of the Downtown Rotary Club at the Sheraton-Fontenelle Hotel in Omaha. I was invited as an honored guest since I represented the FBI and was also a close friend of Mr. GALBRAITH. He spoke very eloquently on the subject of "Law and Order," appealing to the citizen to give support to the law enforcement profession and the need for everyone to take an interest and active part in fighting crime.

I had a very enjoyable visit with Mr. GALBRAITH prior to his speech in which he was most complimentary of the Director and the work of the FBI. He spoke with considerable pleasure of his association with the Director, with Assistant to the Director CARTHA D. DE LOACH, and with his many FBI friends involved in Legion activities. In this connection he stated that the FBI's Legion Post in Washington, D. C. is by far the finest Legion Post in the country. He wishes that other Posts had the high caliber of members, and particularly those in executive positions, that the FBI's Post does. Mr. GALBRAITH expressed a genuine appreciation for the Bureau's friendship and cooperation with both he and other officials of the American Legion. I assured him of our continued interest and cooperation in matters of mutual interest.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO:

The Director

DATE:

4-23-1968

FROM

N. P. Callahan

SUBJECT:

The Congressional Record

Pages 54339-54341. Senator Curtis, (R) Nebrasko, in paying ribute to votorans organizations, stated "The American Legion is a fine drganization. It has a long record of devoted service to our country. It has had many outstanding national commanders but none abler or more dedicated or more effective than the present national commander, Hon. William E. Galbraith." Mr. Curtis placed in the Record an article written by Commander Calbraith entitled "Let's Have Faith in America" and published in the FBK Law Enforcement Bulletin for April.

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To: SAC, San Francisco

From: Director, FBI

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Captioned individual is running unopposed for the position of National Commander of The American Legion. He will be elected to that position at the National Convention in New Orleans September 5 - 12, next. Doyle is a good friend of the Eureau. Each incoming National Commander, on an annual basis, shortly after election makes a trip to the Far Last. Doyle plans to make such a trip and his party will consist of six people including himself.

There is attached for all offices receiving a copy of this communication an itinerary for Doyle's trip. All offices should extend usual courtesies and where necessary assist through customs.

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- 1 Honolulu Enclosure
- 1 Tokyo Enclosuro
- 1 Monila Enclosure

1 - Mr. DeLoach - Enclosure (detached)

1 - Mr. Bishop - Enclosure (detached)

1 - Mr. Sullivan (Att: Foreign Liaison) - Enclosure (deached)

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NOTE: See M. A. Jones to Bishop memo captioned "William Doyle and Party, The American Legion" dated 8/14/68. DeLoach AUG 15 1968 TELETYPE WIT LE Mohr Bishor Casper COMM:FBI Callahan Contad MI AUG 16 Gale Rosen Sullivan Kuo 15, 10 us 44 '68 Tavel Trotter

FLIGHT SCHEDULE - Commander & Mrs. William Doyle & Party
September 19 - October 10, 1968

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Leave Arrive	Philadelphia San Francisco	UA 067	Sept 19 Sept 19	6:15 p.m. 9:05 p.m.	Thursday Thursday
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Leave Arrive	—San Francisco Honolulu	PA 001	Sep. 20 Sep. 20	.9:00 a.m. 12:10 p.m.	Friday Friday
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Leave Arrive	Tokyo Okinawa	NW 001	Sep. 24 Sep. 24	8:30 a.m. 11:05 a.m.	Tuesday Tuesday
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Philippines	Smallpox Cholera Yellow fever	
Viet Nam	Smallpox Yellow fever	Typhus Plague

Immunization requiring more than one dose:

NOTE:

Typhoid: Standard course: 2 injections 4 weeks apart. The basic series need not be repeated at any time.

and tetus innoculations for all international travel.

The U.S. Public Health Service recommends Typhoid, Poliomyelitis

Typhus: Two doses, the second not less than 4 weeks after the first. The basic series need not be repeated at any time.

Plague: Standard course: 3 injections, the first two 30 days apart and the third 4 to 12 weeks following the second dose. Persons vaccinated previously need two injections spaced at a 30-day interval. The standard course need not be repeated at any time.

NOTE: Immunizations to be recorded on International Certificate of Vaccination (copy attached) and then stamped by the local or State health officer of the area in which the immunizing physician practices.

Source: Public Health Service Publication No. 384

Revised 1967-68

INFORMATION FOR PASSPORT APPLICANTS

1. This application must be executed personally before a Clerk of a Federal or State court authorized to accept passport applications or before a Passport Agent. The Clerk or Agent will give you all necessary information and guidance to complete this application. Complete all the information which is applicable, but do not sign application.

2. Proof of United States Citizenship

Persons who apply for passports are required to present proof of their United States citizenship.

A previously issued passport may be used for identification and proof of citizenship, instead of documents indicated below, and shall be submitted with the application.

A native born citizen shall present his birth certificate, or, if not obtainable, a baptismal certificate or certified copy of the record of baptism. If such primary evidence is not obtainable, such secondary evidence as census records, newspaper files, school records or affidavits of persons having a personal knowledge of the facts of birth may be submitted. However, a statement by appropriate authorities certifying no birth record exists must be submitted with evidence other than a birth certificate. To avoid delays, the applicant should ascertain from the Clerk or Agent exactly what information the above documents must contain in order to be acceptable for passport purposes.

A naturalized citizen shall present his naturalization certificate. Persons claiming citizenship through a native or naturalized citizen should read section C 2c. of Department of State M-265, "Information for Passport Applicants" or discuss their cases with the Clerk of Court or Passport Agent.

Women married before September 22, 1922, or married to aliens ineligible to citizenship before March 3, 1931, should discuss their cases with the Clerk of Court or Passport Agent since there are special requirements for proof of citizenship.

3. Identification

An applicant is required to establish his identity to the satisfaction of a Clerk of Court or Passport Agent through personal knowledge, the presentation of an acceptable document of identification or by an identifying witness who has known the applicant for at least 2 years and is a U. S. citizen. If a witness is required for identification the witness will be required to complete an affidavit. An affidavit form may be secured from the Passport Agent or Clerk of Court.

The following documents are acceptable for identification purposes provided they contain the signature and either a photograph or a physical description of the applicant: A previous passport, a certificate of naturalization or of citizenship, a driver's license or a government (Federal, State, Municipal), industrial or business identification card or pass.

4. Photographs

Two duplicate photographs taken within the past 2 years shall be presented with the application. Both photographs shall be signed by the applicant. They shall be not less than 2½ by 2½ inches nor more than 3 by 3 inches in size.

Photographs may be in color or in black and white. A pleasant, natural pose is recommended. The prints should be capable of withstanding a mounting temperature from 180 degrees to 200 degrees, Fahrenheit. Acetate or film base, snapshot, Polaroid or vending machine prints are not acceptable. Tinted photographs are not acceptable.

Photographs should be on thin, unglazed photo paper, show front view of applicant with a plain, light background. When dependents are included they should be shown in a group photo with the applicant. When it is not practicable to submit a group photo separate photos may be submitted.

5. Passport Fees

The fee required for the issuance of a new passport is \$9.00. The execution fee is an additional \$1.00 unless the application is executed before a Clerk of a State Court authorized to collect \$2.00.

Do not pay any other fee to anyone for filling in or executing this application or for obtaining the passport except postage and/or necessary emergency charges.

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Honorable William C. Doyle North West Boulevard Vineland, New Jersey 08360

Dear Mr. Doyle:

I wanted to take this opportunity to extend to you my heartiest congratulations on your election as National Commander of The American Legion for the Year 1968-1969.

National As you enter your term of office, I am sure that you realize the heavy responsibilities which have been placed on your shoulders, and I am certain that you will have a most successful year as National Commander. Members of The American Legion can take great pride in having men of your stature active in this fine organization, and I want to express my gratitude for the confidence which The American Legion has expressed in me over the years and for the strong stands which they have taken against the cancerous menace of communism and the need for law and order in our society.

EX 110 Please do not hesitate to call upon me in the event I can be of any assistance to you during your tenure of office. My associates join me in extending to you every wish for a most successful year.

19 SEP 17-1968

Sincerely yours, J. Edgar Hoover

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NOTE: See DeLoach to Tolson memo 9-16-68, captioned "The American Legion National Convention, New Orleans, Louisiana, 9-6/12-68.11

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Honorable William EX Galbraith RFD #1 Beemer, Nebraska 68716

Dear Mr. Galbraith:

May I take this opportunity to congratulate you on the completion of a most successful year as National Commander of The American Legion. _ No Trans

Your outstanding leadership and your many contributions to The American Legion during this past year were certainly noteworthy, and you should take great pride in the many achievements of The American Legion during your tenure of office. I know that all members of The American Legion are most elated with your many accomplishments, and I do hope your future will be filled with much happiness and success.

All of us in the FBI are most grateful for your support during the past twelve months, and if there is any way I can be of assistance to you in the future please do not hesitate to let me know.

Sincerely yours, 19 SEP 17 1968 J. Edgar Hoover 1 - Mr. Bishop 1 - Mr. Callahan MAILED Z CDD:nls SEP 17 1968 COMM-FBI NOTE: See DeLoach to Tolson memo 9-16-68, captioned "The

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OPTICUAL FORM NO. 10 MAY (1962 EDITION GSA NEN. REG. NO. 27 UNITED STATES GOV. NMENT MemorandumGole MERICAN LEGION -TO : Mr. Tolson Rosen Sullivan -Tavel Trotter CENERAL : Mr. DeLoach SUBJECT: THE AMERICAN LEGION NATIONAL CONVENTION NEW ORLEANS: LOUISIANA. SEPTEMBER 6-12, 1968 NATIONAL PUBLIC RELATIONS COMMISSION: Speakers: George Healy, Editor, the Times-Picayune, **b**6 Manager, Library Services, Western-Publishing Company, Inc., Raymond McHugh, Vice President and Washington Bureau Chief, Copley Press, Congressman Hale Boggs (D - Louisiana), Joseph Giarrusso, Superintendent of Police, New Orleans, Louisiana, and Congressman John J. Flynt, Jr., (D - Georgia). Congressman Flynt, in his remarks, paid high tribute to the Director and his appearances before the Subcommittee on Appropriations (Flynt is a member of the Subcommittee which handles our appropriations). The Legion's Public Relations program for 1967-68 was well-within the budget requirements and all projects were handled satisfactorily. Press, television, and radio handling at the Convention achieved above-average results and the Public Relations Commission worked "around, the clock due to the fact that in addition to the President the three Presidential aspirants also spoke before the Convention. Approximately 50 members of the Public Relations Commission, consisting of newspaper, radio, television, and various personalities in industry, attended the Public Relations Commission meetings and the Convention. All were assigned specific duties in connection with the Convention. The Fourth Estate Award was given to columnist William S. White. White was aware of the fact that the Bureau had been largely responsible for his receiving this award and he was most grateful. ST-103 REC- 81 94-1-17998 RESOLUTIONS: Nine resolutions concerning the Director and the Bureau were consolidated into one. This resolution, which was passed unanimously, commends the Bureau and the Director for fighting-crime, disseminating information to other agencies, and for our work in the Martin Luther King, Jr., case (copy attached). Also adopted were resolutions calling for a ban on mail order sales of firearms to unlicensed individuals, the reinstatement of prayer Enclosures (9) - Sent 9-17-68 $\sqrt{1 - D}$. G. Hanning 1 - T. B. Coll 1 - Mr. Bishop 4 SEP Mrz Gallahan CDD: db (1) CONTINUED - OVER

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RE: THE AMERICAN LEGION NATIONAL CONVENTION

in public buildings, and support for law enforcement agencies and officers in re-establishing law and order in the United States. The prayer in public buildings resolution asked for support of a constitutional amendment which would make such prayer legal. Thirty resolutions all dealing with various aspects of law and order were considered by the Convention. All of them endorsed the work of various law enforcement agencies and urged continued support of them.

NATIONAL AMERICANISM COMMISSION:

SA Hanning is a member of this Commission and sat with them during their deliberations. SA Coll is a member of the Counter-Subversive Committee of the Americanism Commission and also sat with the Commission as a whole during its deliberations. It was interesting to note that resolutions concerning firearms legislation drew the most heated debates and accounted for 23 of the 109 resolutions considered by the Americanism Commission. All of these resolutions were strongly against Federal control with the exception that they would agree as to the necessity of Federal control regarding mail-order sales of firearms. The Commission adopted a resolution calling for an investigation of the American Civil Liberties Union and also one critical of the Students for a Democratic Society.

NEW NATIONAL COMMANDER:

William C. Doyle of Vineland, New Jersey, was unanimously elected as the new National Commander for the Legion year 1968-69. Doyle is a Brigadier General in the National Guard and Director of Veterans Services for the State of New Jersey. He is personally known to me and is a great admirer of the Director and a strong supporter of the Bureau. As a matter of fact, during his acceptance remarks he quoted the Director on several occasions, particularly concerning the need for law and order in our country and the reasoning and judgment possessed by some individuals in the country. There is no derogatory information concerning him and a letter of congratulations over the Director's signature to him is attached.

OUTGOING NATIONAL COMMANDER:

William E. Galbraith of Beemer, Nebraska, served as National Commander for the Legion year 1967-68. Without question, he was one of the greatest and most sincere National Commanders The American Legion has ever Mr. DeLoach to Mr. Tolson Memo

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had. He is an exceptionally strong supporter of the Bureau and an outstanding admirer of the Director and indicated to me on numerous occasions that he would be happy to do anything he possibly could to assist the FBI. It will be recalled that the entire theme of his Legion year, "Freedom Is Not Free," was based on one of the Director's Law Enforcement bulletin introductions. A letter congratulating Mr. Galbraith on an outstanding year is also attached.

MISCELLANEOUS:

President Johnson addressed the Convention on Tuesday, September 10th. He gave a very "hawkish" speech which was well received. The feeling of the Legionnaires, however, was that he had given it two years too late.

On Wednesday, September 11th, former Governor George Wallace and Vice President Humphrey appeared before the Convention. Wallace was politely received and applause for him was restrained. His talk was a reiteration of his demagogue stand on various issues. Democratic nominee, Humphrey, was in the embarrassing position of having been contradicted by the President on the previous day. It will be recalled that on Monday, September 10th, newspaper headlines were to the effect that Humphrey had publically indicated that we would start bringing the boys home from Vietnam in late 1968 or early 1969. The following day, in his address to the Convention, the President stated "No man can predict when we will be able to start bringing our boys back home." Humphrey received a mediocre reception.

Republican nominee Richard M. Nixon appeared before the Convention on Thursday morning, September 12th, and was enthusiastically received by the Convention. He gave an excellent and timely talk.

General Westmoreland, Chief of Staff and former Commanderin-Chief in Vietnam, was the speaker at the Commander's banquet on Tuesday evening, September 10th. General Westmoreland presented excellent material concerning the war in Vietnam. However, he is not;a forceful speaker and this detracted from his material considerably.

Time did not permit me to visit the New Orleans Office.

However, I did spend considerable time with the SAC and ASAC and in order to help the Office, I saw to it that all Agents and clerical employees received passes for The American Legion parade, Drum and Bugle, and other public activities in which they were interested. All courtesies were extended to various personalities mentioned above.

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Mr. DeLoach to Mr. Tolson Memo

RE: THE AMERICAN LEGION NATIONAL CONVENTION

RECOMMENDATIONS:

1. That the attached letters to incoming Commander Doyle and outgoing Commander Galbraith be approved and that incoming Commander Doyle's name be added to the Special Correspondents List.

- 2. That the attached letter go forth to Congressman Flynt thanking him for his kind remarks concerning the Director's appearances before the Subcommittee on Appropriations.
- 3. SAs Hanning and Coll, who accompanied me and assisted me in a myriad of duties, handled their assignments in an outstanding manner. They worked long and arduous hours throughout the entire Convention. It is recommended that they be commended. (Suggested letters attached.)

4. SAC Robert E. Rightmyer and ASAC Joseph T. Sylvester spent as much time as possible in assisting us during the Convention. They worked tirelessly despite the many burdens placed upon them. In addition, SA _______, also assisted us during the Convention and it is recommended that all be commended. (Suggested letters attached.)

RESOLUTION

September 16, 1968

WHEREAS:

The fight against crime and subversion in the United States today requires the wholehearted cooperation of all agencies of law enforcement, local, state and national.

AND WHEREAS:

The FBI, as a Federal agency, constantly develops information relating to offenses under the jurisdiction of other agencies.

AND WHEREAS:

The FBI has a policy of long standing to immediately furnish such data to the appropriate agency which has been of tremendous value in helping to fight crime throughout the Nation.

AND WHEREAS:

The FBI, for example, disseminated a total of 287,004 items of information during the 1967 fiscal year to other law enforcement agencies in the field of organized crime resulting, among other things, in the arrest of 3,748 vice figures, the seizure of almost a million dollars in currency and gambling paraphernalia, and the disruption of many professional gambling operations.

AND WHEREAS:

The FBI, through its own intensive investigation, developed information concerning the identity of the accused slayer of Martin Luther King, Jr., and the furnishing of data which led to his arrest in London, England.

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AND WHEREAS:

The FBI, on a constant basis furnishes vital information in the security field to the appropriate officials of our Government, who are then able to make more wise and better informed decisions, not only of national policy but also affecting our relations with foreign countries.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED:

That the FBI (and its Director, Mr. J. Edgar Hoover), be commended for its far-seeing, intelligent and wise policy of disseminating intelligence and criminal information in its possession to other law enforcement agencies, local state and Federal.

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Director, FBI

DATE:

9/24/68Mr. Gale

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SUBJECT:

WILLIAM C DOYLE AND PARTY NATIONAL COMMANDER THE AMERICAN LEGION HAW A

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ReBuairtel 8/15/68 to San Francisco, cc Honolulu.

Newly elected National Commander DOYLE (Brigadier General USA, retired) and party arrived Honolulu via plane 9/20/68 and were met by SAC, Honolulu, as well as representatives of the American Legion Hawaii and officers from the office of the Commander in Chief Pacific.

DOYLE's party had a five-hour layover in Honolulubefore departing the same afternoon for Tokyo. Commander DOYLE was offered the assistance of the Honolulu Office and discussion with him was very cordial and friendly. was most complimentary of the Bureau and the Director. At DOYLE's request, SAC accompanied him for a personal visit with Admiral JOHN S. McCAIN, Jr., Commander in Chief Pacific, at the Camp Smith CINCPAC Headquarters. DOYLE and Admiral McCAIN discussed his current tour of the Pacific and Far East in some detail, and DOYLE's chief interest appeared to be in making certain that he could visit with the line troops at the locations which he will reach. Adm. McCAIN's comments indicated a strong tie between the military and the American Legion and the appreciation of the military for Legion efforts in regard to legislation benefitting military personnel. Adm. McCAIN afforded the group an up-to-date briefing by various specialists concerning the progress of the Vietnam-War and it was noted that DOYLE asked numerous searching questions of the briefing officials. His past military service appeared to give him a good rapport with Adm. McCAIN and the other officials present, most of whom DOYLE had known in past years.

After the briefing and visit with Adm. McCAINT HOYER Conversed briefly with all of the commanding generals of McCAIN's staff, who were waiting for a meeting with the admiral. SAC took part in this discussion, which concerned

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the general military and crime situation in Hawaii. Afterwards DOYLE was assisted in his departure from Honolulu.

While SAC was with DOYLE, the upcoming IACP Conference at Honolulu was discussed briefly and generally, and it was determined that DOYLE plans to arrive in Honolulu 10/4/68 from Manila, although he indicated he has no particular plan at this time to attend the IACP Conference.

DOYLE will be met upon his arrival and usual courtesies of the office extended at that time, including any needed assistance with Customs.

September 19, 1968

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Rionorable James V. Day Vice Chairman Federal Maritime Commission 1321 H Street, Northwest Washington, D. C. 20573

Dear Jim:

Thank you very much for the comments in your letter of September 16th regarding Mr. DeLoach. I am pleased to learn his efforts at the recent American Legion Convention added to its success and he joins me in thanking you for your most thoughtful letter.

Sincerely, Edgar

1 - Mr. DeLoach - Enclosure

NOTE: Mr. Day is on the Special Correspondents List and is known to the Director on a first-name basis.

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Honorable J. Edgar Hoover Director Federal Bureau of Investigation Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

I know it will come as no surprise to. you to receive a letter complimenting the efficiency of your staff generally but, more specifically, your able assistant, Deke DeLoach.

No one in the American Legion, other than the National Commander, has more to do during a national convention than does Deke. In spite of this, however, he found time in his busy schedule to organize a gathering in his suite early every morning. This get-together provided an opportunity for those of us who desired to participate in the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass.

I am confident that his absence from his official duties at your office must make for added work for your already awesome responsibilities. I am certain, Mr. Hoover, that I express the gratitude of our two and one half million members of the American Legion for your unselfishness in authorizing Deke to take an active and influential role in American Legion activities.

Respectfully yours

ames V. Day Vice Chairman

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Memorandum

: Mr. Callahan

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SUBJECT: FBI AMERICAN LEGION POST #56

FUND RAISING SALES

The purpose of this memorandum is to request the Director's approval for the sale again this year of fruit cake, candy and cookies by FBI American Legion Post #56 to Bureau employees at Thanksgiving and Christmas.

This event has proved in the past to be the Post's best source of revenue, and its object is to replenish the Post's treasury. During the past year the Post spent approximately \$550 on the Boy Scout Troop it sponsors at the D., C. Childrens Center, Laurel, Maryland. The money went for such purposes as camping equipment, a Christmas party and an all-day outing on a farm. Among other worthy and expensive Post projects were two parties for wounded-Viet, Namweterans, patients at Walter Reed Army Medical Center. One affair was a picnic, the other a buffet dinner involving a total outlay of about \$300. Another item of \$200 was for participation in the American Legion Boys' State and various veteran memorial activities. Both Bureau and Post gained favorable publicity from Post activities.

Granting the Post's request would, as before, constitute an exception to Bureau policy that employees not solicit sales on Bureau premises or use Bureau space for storage of any of the merchandise. No problems have arisen from the Director's gracious granting of the Post's previous requests. The sales project would benefit not only Scouts, veterans and other beneficiaries of the Post's functions but would also help Bureau employees because of the convenience of their being able to buy such merchandise at favorable prices where they work. 94-1-17993 188

RECOMMENDATION:

REC 54 15 SEP 27 1968 It is recommended that the Post's request be approved.

Mr. DeLoach

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AMERICAN LEGION-GENERAL

The Honorable J. Edgar Hoover Director Federal Bureau of Investigation United States Department of Justice Washington, D. C. 20535

Dear Mr. Hoover:

Thank you so very much for your letter of congratulations on my election as National Commander of The American Legion. Your good wishes are greatly appreciated, and I most certainly will do my very best to merit your expression of confidence.

The American Legion is most appreciative of the assistance you and your associates have extended to our National Officers and our organization over the years. I am grateful for your generous offer of assistance during my tenure of office, and look forward to a continuation of the fine relationship which has long existed between The American Legion and the Federal Bureau of Investigation.

My warm regards and very best wishes.

Sincerely yours,

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National Commander IND

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WILLIAM C. DOYLE NATIONAL COMMANDER, AMERICAN LEGION - //Z

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On 9/28/68, and her traveling companion, departed Tokyo via Pan American Airlines Flight No. I for Hong Kong.

During week in Tokyo, she was contacted daily by Legat and assisted in every way possible. She and were entertained at Legat's residence for dinner on the evening of 9/27/68 and were driven to the airport by Legat and assisted through customs on 9/28/68.

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The Director

DATE: 10/7/68

FROM

N. P. Callahan

SUBJECT: The Congressional Record

Pages \$12072-\$12074. Senator Case, (B) New Jersey, Aid tribute to William CXDoyle, of New Jersey, on his election as National Commander of the American Legion. Mr. Case pointed out that Mr. Doyle in his acceptance speech "viscussed some of the current problems facing this Nation and pleaged the resources of the American Legion toward their solution. Mr. Doyle's address is set forth in the Record. Mr. Doyle in commenting on the now left" and campus revolt stated "Mr. J. Edgar Hoover, that distinguished public servant who has served his country so long and so well, recently warned us how the communists attempt to exploit the new left for their own purposes. Spokesmen for the communist party USA, which recently conducted a convention in New York City, have boasted openly of the role they have played in campos unrest. "

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In the original of a memorandum captioned and dated as above, the Congressional Dmarked for the Difference attention. This form has been prepared in order that was reviewed and pertinent items were portions of a copy of the original memorandum may be clipped, mounted, and placed in appropriate Bureau case or subject matter files.

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TO : SAN FRANCISCO

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WILLIAM C. DOYLE AND PARTY, NATIONAL COMMANDER,

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AMERICAN LEGION.

NATIONAL COMMANDER DOYLE AND PARTY DEPARTED HONOLULU INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT, NINE THIRTY AM THIS DATE ON PAN AMERICAN FLIGHT EIGHT FOUR TWO, SCHEDULED FOR ARRIVAL AT SAN FRANCISCO AT FIVE FIFTEEN PM, THIS DATE. DOYLE'S ITINERARY INDICATES HE WILL DEPART SAN FRANCISCO ON UNITED AIRLINES FLIGHT SIXTY AT NINE AM, OCT. TEN, NEXT WITH ARRIVAL AT PHILADELPHIA AT FOUR FIFTY FIVE PM.

DOYLE AND PARTY WERE ASSISTED WITH DEPARTURE FROM HOTEL TO AIRPORT AND WERE EXTREMELY APPRECIATIVE OF COURTESIES AFFORDED HIM AND HIS GROUP.

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OPTIONAL FORM NO. 10 MAY 1962 EDITION GSA GEN, REG. NO. 27 UNITED STATES VERNMENT !emorandum TO Mr. Tolson Sullivan Trotter Tele. Room **FROM** C. D. DeLdach Holmes THE AMERICAN LEGION FALL SUBJECT: EXECUTIVE MEETINGS INDIANAPOLIS, INDIANA MERICAN LE GION-NATIONAL OCTOBER 14-16, 1968 SYNOPSIS: With Director's permission I attended captioned meetings in Indianapolis, Indiana, October 14-16, 1968. Resolutions of pertinent interest to Bureau carefully followed. Resolution passed calling on Congress to enact a law or laws barring communists from employment in Federal Government despite recent Supreme Court decisions. Another resolution called on the Attorney General, the FBI, or any duly authorized agency to give the true facts of the October 21, 1967, peace march on the Pentagon. At my instigation this resolution was rejected. Forthcoming Annual Conventions of American Legion will be held in Atlanta, Georgia; Houston, Texas; Portland, Oregon; Chicago, Illinois; and Milwaukee, Wisconsin. Next year's National Commander will be Milton Patrick, a banker from Oklahoma, who is friendly disposed towardsthe Director and the Bureau. I had several conferences with him while in Indianapolis and we will have an excellent relationship during his term of office. National Public Relations Commission budget for forthcoming Legion year approved and I was able to turn back \$1,900 to the Treasury from this year's budget. Public Relations-Commission prepared a program on The American Legion for this year and it received enthusiastic endorsement of the National Executive Committee. Commission commended by the National Commander for outstanding contributions it has made during past several years. I was reappointed Chairman of National Public Relations Commission, SA Hanning reappointed National Commander's Representative to Americanism Commission and SA Coll reappointed National Commander's representative to Counter-Subversive Activities Committee. I was able neutralize of California with whom we have had some difficultynin the past. As; a result of this, appointments recommended by him turned down and individuals appointed who have not shared his views in the past and are strong supporters of the Bureau. Numerous discussions had with William Ca Doyle, the newly elected National Commander, and he is looking forward to his visit with the Director on Monday, October 21st. 74 1-17.998 RECOMMENDATION: 1 a OCT None. For information

C. D. DeLoach to Tolson Memo RE: THE AMERICAN LEGION FALL EXECUTIVE MEETINGS

DÉTAILS:

With the Director's permission, I attended captioned meetings in Indianapolis, Indiana, October 14-16, 1968.

Numerous resolutions were acted upon and those which had any interest to the Bureau were carefully followed. Two resolutions calling upon Congress to enact Legislation to bar members of the Communist Party from employment in Federal agencies were consolidated, carefully considered, and adopted. The purpose of these resolutions and their wording calls upon Congress to enact a law or laws which would be effective in barring communists from Federal employment despite recent Supreme Court decisions. Another resolution called upon the Attorney General, the FBI, or any duly authorized agency to give the true facts of the October 21, 1967, peace march on the Pentagon. This resolution emanated from the Department of Ohio and was the result of a news story in the Cincinnati Enquirer newspaper of November 23, 1967, stating that Republican House Leader Gerald R. Ford had stated that the White House had secret reports showing that communists organized the October 21, 1967, peace march on the Pentagon. At my instigation this resolution was rejected.

Also considered at Indianapolis were future cities for forth-coming Annual Conventions. In order, the next Conventions will be held in Atlanta, Georgia; Houston, Texas; Portland, Oregon; Chicago, Illinois; and Milwaukee, Wisconsin.

We also secretly decided that next year's National Commander (1969-1970) to be elected at the Convention in Atlanta, Georgia, during August, 1969, will be Milton Patrick, a banker from Oklahoma. Patrick is well known to me, a staunch supporter of the Director and the FBI, and will make a good National Commander. Our files contain no derogatory information concerning him. I had several conferences with him while in Indianapolis and we will have an excellent relationship during his term as Commander.

The National Public Relations Commission budget for the forthcoming Legion year was approved and I was very happy to report to the National Executive Committee that this Commission, of which I am Chairman, was able to turn back \$1,900 to the Treasury from this past year's budget. The Public Relations Commission met on both October 14 and 15, 1968, and I reported to the National Executive Committee on October 16th. The program of The American Legion for this year, which was prepared by the Public Relations Commission, received an enthusiastic endorsement by the National Executive Committee and the Commission was commended by the National Commander for the outstanding contributions which it has made to the overall American Legion during the past several years.

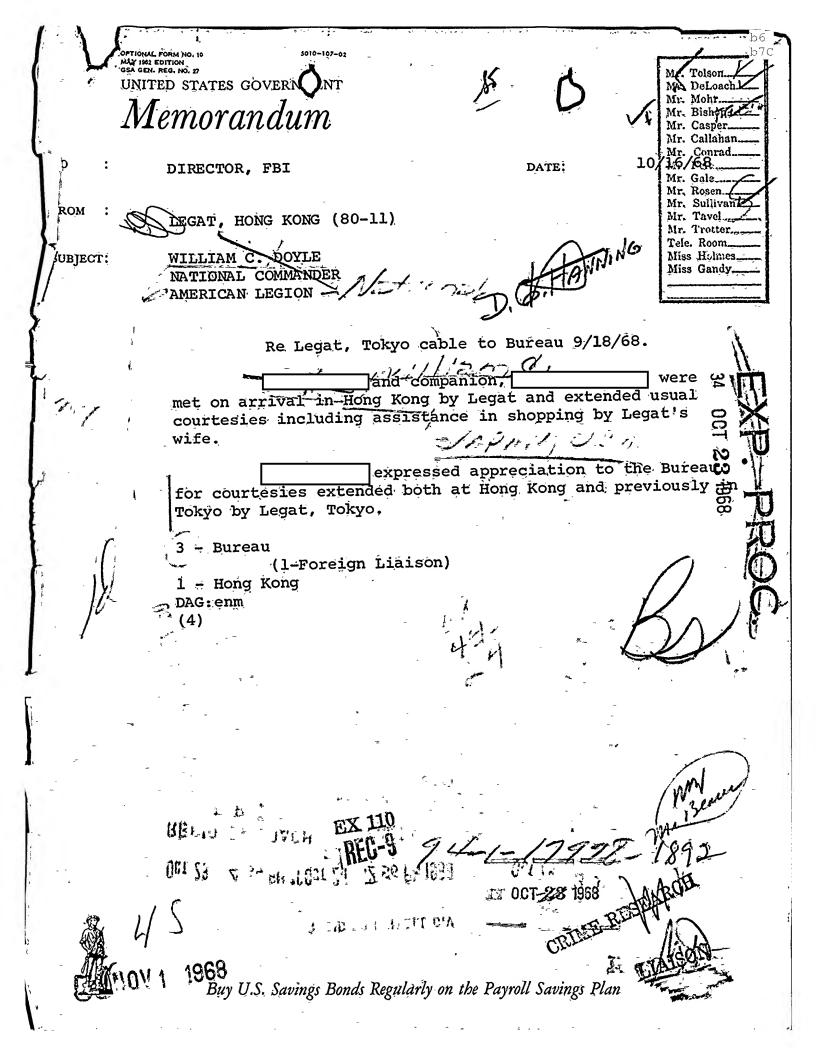
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I was again reappointed Chairman of the National Public
Relations Commission and Special Agent Donald G. Hanning of the Crime
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to the Americanism Commission. Special Agent Thomas B. Coll of the
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quite an influential person in Legion politics; an individual with whom we
have had some difficulty in the past. I arranged for several of the appoint-
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for the appointments to be given to individuals in California who have not
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ir. Tolson 5010-106 Mr. DeLoach MAY 1962 EDITION GSA GEN, REG. NO, 27 Mr. Mohr... UNITED STATES GOERNMENT Mr. BBAD. Mr. Casper. MemorandumMr. Callahan. Mr. Conrad. Mr. Felt... Mr. Gale. 10/11/68 Mr. Rosen. TO : DIRECTOR, FBI DATE: Mr. Sulliyan. Mr. Tavel Mr. Trotter. : ÆGAT, MANILA (80-68) (RUC) Tele. Room. Miss Holmes. Miss Gandy_ SUBJECT: WILLIAM C. DOYLE AND PARTY Re Bureau airtel, 8/15/68: National Commander of the American Legion. accompanied by arrived in Manila from Taipei, Taiwan, on 9/25/68 and was met at the Manila International Airport by the Legal Attache, U. S. Embassy officials, and American Legion members. Attache assisted Commander DOYLE through airport formalities and extended usual courtesies. PHIL. IS. FORMOSH > On 9/26/68, Commander DOYLE, L departed Manila for a tour of Vietnam. They returned on 10/1/68 to Manila where they were joined by and her companion, arrived that day from Tokyo. Commander DOYLE and his party departed Manila for Honolulu on 10/4/68. During his visit in Manila, Commander DOYLE told the Legal Attache on several occasions of his great respect for the FBI and of his personal confidence in and ladmiration for the Director. He appeared to be genuinely appreciative of the small courtesies extended to him by the Legal Attache. (3) Bureau · :(1-Liaison Section) ⊂1-Manila 94-1-17998-1891 DE OCT 21 1968 IJSL:hke (4)



January 15, 1969

Mr. William F. Hauck National Adjutant The American-Legion - 724/542 1608 K. Street, Northwest Washington, D. C. 20006

Dear Mr. Hauck:

I am sending under separate cover a copy of my new book, "J. Edgar Hoover on Communism," which you might like to place in your library at The American Legion.

It is my hope that this book will be of assistance in the fight against the communist enemy.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

NOTE: Mr. William F. Hauck is on the Special Correspondents List 94-1-17998-1893 and is a good friend of the Bureau. 19 JAN 17 1969.

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Mr. H. Diver
Floral Park Post Number 334
The American Legion
15 Elizabeth Street
Floral Park, New York 11002

Dear Mr. Diver:

Your letter of April 15th has been received.

In response to your request, it is a pleasure to send you the enclosed message for use in connection with the ceremonies commemorating the 50th Anniversary of your Post.

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Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

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June 21; 1969

It is indeed a pleasure for me to extend congratulations to the members of Floral Park Post Number 334 of The American Legion on the occasion of its 50th Anniversary.

The FBI has been privileged to have The American Legion as one of its most loyal friends for many years. The work of The American Legion truly reflects the visions of men and women blessed with our sacred heritage, and America can look with pride to your organization. Legionnaires have set an inspiring example through their conscientious application of the principles of good citizenship and their efforts in encouraging cooperation with law enforcement agencies have assisted greatly in the fight against crime and subversion. Legionnaires can indeed be proud of the contributions they have made to the welfare of our country.

My associates join me in expressing best wishes for every success on this occasion.

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April 15, 1969

Mr. Tulson Mr. Conrad. Mr. Felt, Mr. Gale.. Mr. Rosen. Mr. Sullivan Mr. Tavel . Mr. Trotter. Tele. Room. Miss Holmes Miss Gaudy.

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover, Director c/o Federal Bureau of Investigation Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Hoover,

NATIONAL As you are probably well aware, 1969 marks the 50th Anniversary of the American Legion. / I will not take the time to enumerate the positive contributions made by the Legion to our country, but I am certain you will agree that the quantity and quality are most evident.

Not only does the Legion celebrate its 50th Anniversary but, quite naturally, many individual Legion Posts do, also. One of these is Floral Park Post #334. June 21, 1969 has been designated as the day and our celebration will consist of appropriate ceremonies at a formal dinner-dance.

As chairman of this celebration, I wonder if I may prevail upon you to send the Floral Park Post #334 a congratulatory telegram or letter before June 21st. This letter or telegram will be incorporated with the official ceremonies and will be circulated among all members of the Post.

Thank you very much for your cooperation.

Sincerely,

H. Diver, Chairman

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Dear ColonelnTurner:

Mr. DeLoach has furnished me the magazine, "Greater Indianapolis," which contains the story concerning your many outstanding achievements in the field of aviation.

It certainly was a pleasure to read the article, and you can take great pride in your many accomplishments over the years. I also want to thank you for your kind remarks concerning me and do hope that the years ahead will be pleasant and prosperous for you.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

NOTE: See C. D. DeLoach to Mr. Tolson memo dated 5/8/69, captioned: "National Executive Committee Meetings, The American Legion, St. Louis, Missouri, May 6-7, 1969."

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FROM

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NATIONAL-EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETINGS_

THE AMERICAN LEGION - CENERAL

ST. LOUIS, MISSOURI

MAY 6-7, 1969

With the Director's approval I attended the captioned meetings. While these are normally held in Indianapolis, this meeting was a "gold letter" one and was held in St. Louis on the anniversary of the initial caucus of The American Legion which was held there 50 years ago. Approximately 3,000 of the top leaders of the Legion were in attendance at these meetings.

As Chairman of the Public Relations Commission, I took care of budgeting problems for the balance of the year. The Public Relations Commission also considered various nominees for the Fourth Estate Award and it was finally decided to give the award this year to two individuals, George Healy of the New Orleans "Times-Picyuane," a Newhouse newspaper, and Ray McHugh of "Copley Press." Both of these individuals are good friends of the Bureau.

The 50th Anniversary film, "An American Legend," was highly acclaimed. This historic movie contains footage showing the Director receiving the American Legion Distinguished Service Medal in 1946.

A strong resolution was passed commending the Director for seeing fit to author his new book "J. Edgar Hoover on Communism," which was described as being exceptionally timely and not only enlightens the public to the dangers of communism but also contains an excellent briefing and insight into the "New Left" movement. The resolution also mandated that it be encouraged reading for all responsible citizens in our country. This resolution will now become a Legion mandate and distributed to all 16,400 posts of The American Legion which will mean a large volume of sales of the book through The American Legion posts (copy of resolution attached).

SAS Coll and Hanning attended all meetings of the Americanism Commission and the Counter-Subversive Committee My Numerous resolutions were acted upon and those which had any interest to the Bureau were carefully followed. There were many resolutions concerning Students for a Democratic Society (SDS) and other extremists and leftists groups. Many of these resolutions quoted the Director or were prefaced upon statements the Director has

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C. D. DeLoach to Mr. Tolson memo RE: NATIONAL EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETINGS

made in regard to such organizations. These resolutions were consolidated into one strong resolution condemning extremism and lending the full support of the Legion to the current congressional hearings concerning such groups.

Also considered were future cities for forthcoming annual conventions. This year's convention will be held in August in Atlanta, Georgia, followed by Houston, Texas; Portland, Oregon; Chicago, Illinois; and Milwaukee, Wisconsin. We also secretly decided that Milton Patrick, a banker from Oklahoma, will be elected to the office of National Commander (1969-1970) at the convention at Atlanta, Georgia. Patrick is well known to me and an outstanding supporter of the Director and the FBI and will make a good National Commander. I had several conferences with him while in St. Louis and we will have an excellent relationship with him. Bufiles contain no derogatory information concerning him.

Legion membership for the current year will surpass 2,600,000 which is an increase over the previous year.

Commander Doyle asked me to express his personal appreciation to the Director for the help we have extended to him and he is looking forward to his meeting with the Director on Monday, May 12th. BORN 9-29-95-

Roscoe Turner, the former well-known speed flier who is always in attendance at Legion meetings, and always asking that his best regards be extended to the Director gave me the attached magazine containing a feature story of his (Turner's) life and asked me to pass it on to the Director. A letter from the Director to Turner is attached.

RECOMMENDATION:

That the attached letter be forwarded to Roscoe Turner.

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Commending J. Edgar Hoover for Authoring the Book, 'J. Edgar Hoover on Communism'

WHEREAS, All members of The American Legion and responsible citizens throughout our Nation are concerned with the ever present threat of communism and more recently the increasing perils presented through the activities of the so-called "New Left;" and

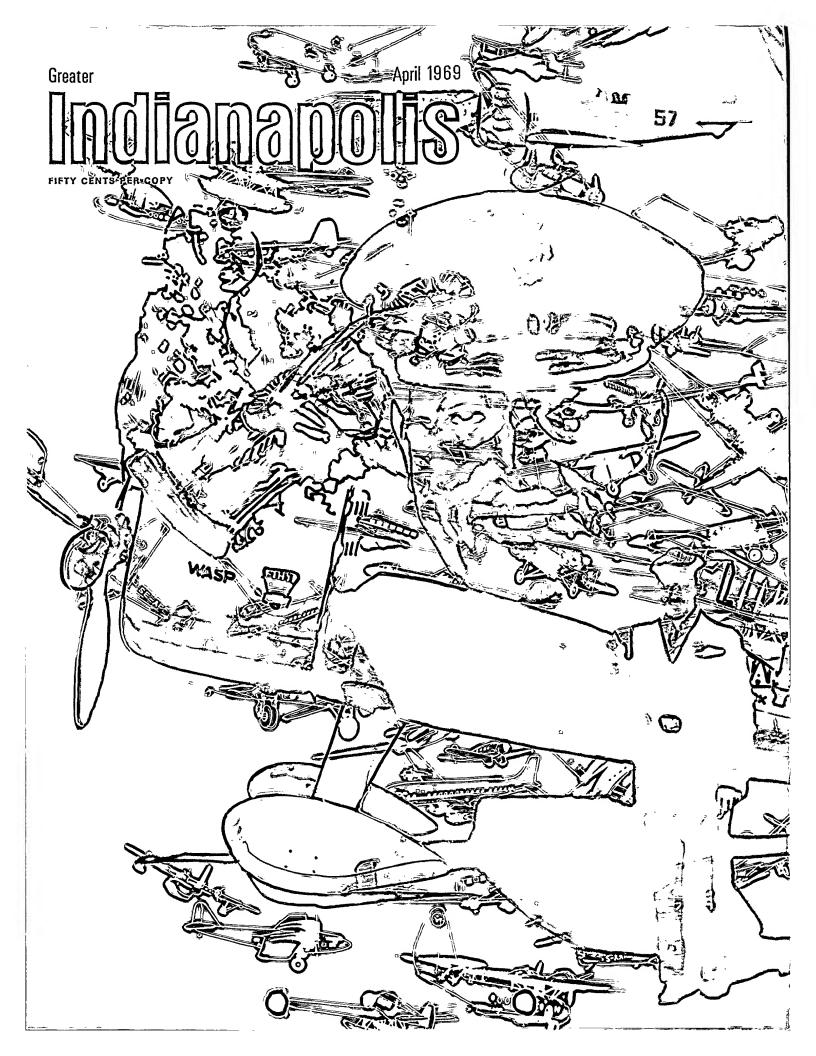
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WHEREAS; Such book is exceptionally timely and not only enlightens the public to the dangers of communism but also contains an excellent briefing and insight into the "New Left" movement;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That the American Legion, meeting in St. Louis, Missouri, May 8-9, 1969, commend J. Edgar Hoover for authoring such a timely and informative book, and that it be encouraged reading for all concerned citizens in our Country.

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The Cover

Charles Naugle, a member of the Art Directors Club of Indiana, devotes the cover of this issue to Col. Roscoe Turner. Naugle recently became art director for The Art Room. Previously he was an illustrator for a local advertising agency and a sales incentive corporation in Dayton, Ohio. He attended the University of Dayton Art Institute. Cover designs for Greater Indianapolis are supplied each month by members of the Art Directors Club.

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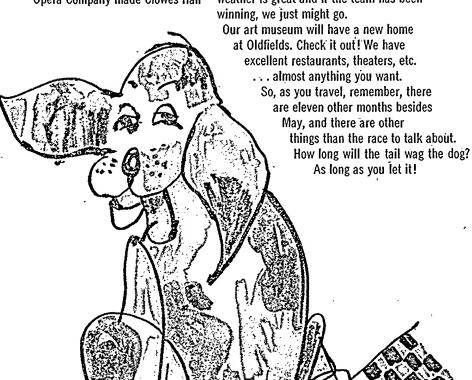
(Or: How long will the tail continue to wag the dog?)

Can a city hide behind a race forever?

May is great, but there are eleven other months in the year. It might come as a shock to you, but there are other things in this city to get excited about. You may recall that the Metropolitan Opera Company made Clowes Hall

their summer home a few seasons ago. What happened? Well, God love us, we stayed away in droves.

Our city has pretty fair pro sports teams. But, what happens when a game is scheduled? Well, bless our hearts, if the weather is great and if the team has been winning, we just might go.



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What To Do Sans Shirt, Sans Hope

By CHARLES W. WHITE

One may reasonably suspect, judging by recent troubles with the Dow Jones Industrial Average, that not a few Indianapolis executives would now prefer to interest themselves in something else. Not that this is expecially wise; Bernard Baruch, for one example, liked to use his out-of-pocket periods for review of his mistakes and studies of how to get well. And naturally, if "It" should go down far enough, there would have to be a bargain day at some point in the future, wouldn't there? How to get ready? I suggest, for

How to get ready? I suggest, for the difficult present, thorough reading of one of the best (and cheapest) investment books in print: "Your Investments," by Leo Barnes, Ph.D., of the American Research Council, Box 183, Rye, New York, or available through Prentice-Hall, Englewood Cliffs, New Jersey. This 225-page paperback (they're big pages) comes out annually, so be sure to get the 1969 edition (\$4.95). It can be obtained at local bookstores and the larger newstands, too.

What does Dr. Barnes tell you to do? Basically, to figure out your objectives first and then, leafing through his 40-odd chapters, figure out a regular program and investment vehicles that will suit your needs.

Another ploy, of course, is to join the brokerage trade—assuming you can't lick'em. To this end, an excellent new book from the Dow Jones-Irwin presses, "Go Where The Money Is," at \$8.50, gives basic information for brokerage house representatives. In passing, it tells the average reader lots of things he may need to know; for example, Chapter 3 is about analysis of economics, monetary and fiscal policy.

Money is the big problem these days: Alden Wells, of Exeter, New Hampshire, tells about it in a monthly report he publishes. His latest can be summed up quite simply: "Awful, and going to get worse!"

This leaves the reader little cheer. We have some, nevertheless. Why not take up home basement or garage handiwork, and forget about the stock market and the bank's attitude concerning loans? Howard Sams & Company's modern 2-volume "Do It Yourself Encyclopedia" (an Audel title) is as good as anything of this sort the writer has seen. These illustrated, easy-to-read books will, at least, make you think you can do electric wiring and fix those front steps.

I've saved my best solution to the sans shirt, sans hope, problem until last. This is a discovery. I found it in the big catalog of Herter's, Inc., Waseca, Minnesota, an outdoorsman's Bible. Title: "How to Get Out of the Rat Race and Live on \$10 a Month."

Wonderful. You can do it, man, and George Herter himself tells you exactly how. All you have to do is watch out for bears and wolves. The tale on page 368, how wolves ate up poor Crist Kolby in Alaska, alone justifies reading of this remarkable volume. Or, on page 350, "How to Kill a Wild Boar with a Shirt."

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Dave Baker, head of the jazz department of Indiana University School of Music, will appear with his sextet at the Children's Museum at 8 p.m., Friday, April 25. He will trace the history and demonstrate the varieties of jazz music. There is no admission charge.

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HISTORICAL MUSEUMS AND EXHIBITIONS

Children's Museum, 3010 North Meridian Street. Children's Museum 3010 North Meridian Street. Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, and Saturday 9 a.m.—5 p.m. Friday 9 a.m.—9 p.m. Sunday 2 p.m.—5 p.m. Special theme for April, "Hoosier Heritage Month." April 25, "All That Jazz." an evening exploring Indiana's jazz heritage with Dave Baker and his sextet. 8 p.m.

Hook's Historical Drug Store and Pharmacy Museum Indiana State Fairgrounds. Daily, noon to 6:00 p.m. Admission Free. Authentic restoration of 19th Century drug store.

Indiana State Museum 202 North Alabama Street. Open Tuesday—Saturday 9 a.m.—5 p.m. Closed Sunday and Monday. Free. day. Free.
Soldiers & Sailors Monument Monument Circle. Basement museum 9 a.m.—5 p.m.
The Indianapolis Zoo 3120 East 30th Street. Open seven days

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Indianapolis Motor Speedway Museum 4790 West 16th St. Daily 9 a.m.—5 p.m.

Museum of Indian Heritage 6040 DeLong Road (continuation of West 71st Street) 10 a.m.—5 p.m. Closed Monday.

World War Memorial Between Meridian and Pennsylvania and New York and St. Clair Streets. Daily 8:30 a.m.—4:30 p.m.

Allison Powerama 4700 West 10th Street. Monday—Friday 9 a.m.—4 p.m. Thursday night 6—9 p.m.

The Benjamin Harrison Home 1230 North Delaware Street. Open weekdays 10 a.m.—4 p.m. Sunday 12:30 p.m.—4 p.m.

James Whitcomb Riley Home 528 Lockerble Street. Open Tuesday—Saturday 10 a.m.—4 p.m. Sunday 12—4 p.m. Closed Monday.

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ART MUSEUMS, GALLERIES

Indianapolis Museum of Art/Herron Gallery 110 East 16th Street. Tuesday—Saturday 10 a.m.—5 p.m. Sunday 1 p.m.—6 p.m. Closed Monday. Special exhibits at the museum this month include: "Rudy Pozzatti," one-man-show, April 9 through April 27; "Children's Show," April 18 through April 30; "Art Directors Annual Exhibition, April 20 through May 11; "Martha Slaymaker," one-man-show, April 30 through May

The Clowes Fund Collection 3744 Spring Hollow Road. Thursday and Sunday 2 p.m.—6 p.m. (Paintings by El Greco, Rubens, Rembrandt, Holbein, Hals, Bosch).

Jewish Community Center 6701 Hoover Road. Sunday—Thursday 9 a.m.—10 p.m. Friday 9 a.m.—5 p.m. Saturday 1 p.m.—

Hoosier Art Salon Gallery 610 State Life Building, 15 East Washington Street. Daily 9 a.m.—4:30 p.m. Saturday 9 a.m.— 12 noon.

Lyman Brothers 14 East Washington Street. Daily 9 a.m.—5 p.m.—Thursday 9 a.m.—8:30 p.m. Closed Sunday.
Lieber Company 24 West Washington Street. Daily 9 a.m.—5:25 p.m. Thursday 9 a.m.—8:30 p.m. Sunday closed.
Meridian Gallery 3117 North Meridian St. Daily 12 noon—5:30 p.m. Graphic art of world famous artists.
Oldfields Museum of Decorative Arts 38th and Michigan Rd. Guided tours Tues., Thurs., Sat., Sun. 1—4 p.m. Scheduled tours for school children Tuesday only.
Union Building, Indiana University Medical Center Campus 1300 West Michigan Street. Main lounge open to public 24 hours a day.

Indiana Central College Leah Ransburg Art Gallery 4001 Otterbein Avenue. Monday—Friday 9:30 a.m.—4 p.m. White Horse Gallery 152 Court St. Dally 12 noon—8 p.m. Local artists' works.

The Frame Shop 6426 College Avenue. Daily 9 a.m.—5 p.m.—Saturday 9 a.m.—3 p.m. Closed Sunday.
Indianapolis Art League Foundation 3103 North Pennsylvania

ROAD SHOWS

At all theaters, evening performances are daily at 8:15 p.m. except where noted. Matinees on Wednesday, Saturday and Sunday at 2 p.m. (Schedules are subject to change.) Circle Theater "The Lion in Winter," starring Peter O'Toole and Katharine Hepburn. Nominated for "Best Picture of the Voor" Heals Theater "Ben Hur," starring Charlton Heston, Jack Hawkins, Stephen Boyd, and Haya Harareet. Lyric Theater "Where Eagles Dare," starring Richard Burton, Clint Eastwood, and Mary Ure. Eastwood Theater 38th Street and Pendleton Pike "Funny Girl," starring Barbara Streisand and Omar Sharif.

SPORTS

Apr. 1-6 Boat, Sports, and Travel Show, Coliseum and Cattle Barn, Indiana State Fairgrounds.

Apr. 3 Baseball, Exhibition game, Chicago White Sox vs. Chicago Cubs. Bush Stadium. 1:30 p.m.

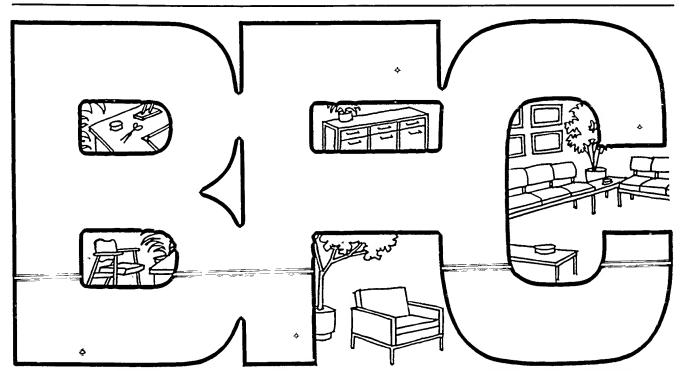
Apr. 13 Drag Races. Raceway Park. Practice session begins at 10 a.m., eliminations begin at 1:30 p.m.

Apr. 16 Roller Derby. Coliseum, Indiana State Fairgrounds.

Apr. 18-20 Baseball, Indianapolis Indians vs. Iowa. Bush



Theodore Bikel, stage, screen and television performer who sings in many languages, will be at Clowes Hall April 12.



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Apr. 20 Drag Races. Raceway Park. Practice session begins at 10 a.m., eliminations begin at 1:30 p.m.

Apr. 21-24 Baseball, Indianapolis Indians vs. Denver. Bush Stadium. Games begin at 7:45 p.m.

Apr. 25-27 Baseball, Indianapolis Indians vs. Oklahoma City. Bush Stadium. Games being at 7:45 p.m. on April 25 and 26 and at 1:30 p.m. on April 27.

Apr. 27 Drag Races. Raceway Park. Practice session begins at 10 a.m., eliminations begin at 1:30 p.m.

FILMS AND LECTURES

Apr. 3 Thursday Evening Travel Series, "To Hawaii and Back" by Car and Air." Cropsey Auditorium, Central Library. 7:30 p.m. Apr. 5 Saturday Children's Program, "Happy Easter." Cropsey Auditorium, Central Library. 2 p.m.

Apr. 10 Thursday Evening Travel Series, "Safari in Africa." Cropsey Auditorium, Central Library. 7:30 p.m.

Apr. 11 Film, "Dutch Soup." Herron Auditorium, Indianapolis Museum of Art/Herron Gallery. 8 p.m.

Apr. 12 Saturday Children's Program, "Magical Hour." Cropsey Auditorium, Central Library. 2 p.m.

Apr. 13 Lecture, "The Myth of the Trojan War," by Jack Balcer. Herron Auditorium. Indianapolis Museum of Art/Herron Gallery. 3 p.m.

Apr. 17 Thursday Evening Travel Series, "Caribbean Cruise." Cropsey Auditorium, Central Library. 7:30 p.m.

Apr. 18 Film, "N-O-T-H-I-N-G." Herron Auditorium, Indianapolis Museum of Art/Herron Gallery. 8 p.m.

Apr. 19 Saturday Children's Program, "Who's Lost." Cropsey Auditorium, Central Library. 2 p.m.

Apr. 24 Thursday Evening Travel Series, "India: Taj Mahal To Village." Cropsey Auditorium, Central Library. 7:30 p.m.

Apr. 25 Film, "Through a Glass Darkly." Marian College Auditorium. 8 p.m.

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Apr. 26 Saturday Children's Program, "Japanese Festival." Cropsey Auditorium, Central Library. 2 p.m. SPECIAL EVENTS Apr. 11-13 Antiques Show. Manufacturers Building, Indiana State Fairgrounds. Apr. 12 . Press Club Gridiron Dinner, Murat Temple. Apr. 17-19 Boy Scout Fair. Manufacturers Building, Indiana

State Fairgrounds.

Apr. 23-27 Murat Temple Shrine Circus. Collseum and Cattle

Barn, Indiana State Fairgrounds.

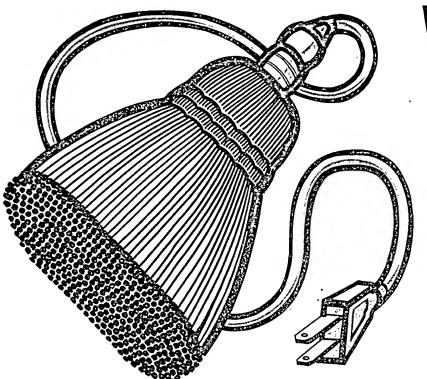


Richard Burton stars in the suspense drama, "Where Eagles Dare." The film is playing at the Lyric Theatre.

MUSIC AND DANCE

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Apr. 3 Indianapolis Symphony Orchestra, Loli Pop Concerts,
"Mother Goose Suite." Performances begin at 9:30 and 11 a.m.
at Indiana Central College's Ransburg Auditorium and at 2
and 3:30 p.m. at Clowes Hall, Butler University.
Apr. 10-11 Indianapolis Symphony Orchestra, featuring the
22-year-old violin virtuoso James Oliver Buswell IV. Izler
Solomon, conducting. Clowes Hall, Butler University. Performance Thursday at 8 p.m. and Friday at 3:45 p.m.
Apr. 12 Theodore Bikel, "The International Singer." Clowes
Hall, Butler University, 8:30 p.m.
Apr. 12, 19 Opera, "La Traviata." Indiana University Auditorium. Bloomington. 8 p.m. Apr. 13 Faculty Recital Series, Original Student Compositions. Robertson Hall, Jordan College of Music, Butler University. 3 p.m. Apr. 13 Collegiate Artist Concert, John Colbert, conducting.



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"Funny Girl," playing at the Eastwood Theatre, is currently enjoying the longest running engagement in the state. The technicolor, panavision film has been nominated for eight Academy Awards. It stars Omar Sharif and Barbra Streisand.

Lilly Hall, Jordan College of Music, Butler University. 3 p.m. Apr. 13 Fred Waring. Clowes Hall, Butler University. 8 p.m. Apr. 13 Grand Ole Opry. Collseum, Indiana State Fairgrounds. Apr. 17 The Cleveland Orchestra. Indiana University Auditorium, Bloomington. 8 p.m. Apr. 18 The Lyric Trio concert. Ransburg Auditorium, Indiana Central College. 8:30 p.m. Apr. 19 Johnny Rivers. Clowes Hall, Butler University. Performances begin at 6:30 and 9 p.m. Apr. 20 The Butler Men's Glee Club and Women's Choir. Lilly Hall, Jordan College of Music, Butler University. 7:30 p.m. Apr. 20 Indiana Intercollegiate Band. Lilly Hall, Jordan College of Music, Butler University. 3 p.m. Apr. 25 Ravi Shankar, Satirist. Indiana University Auditorium, Bloomington. 8 p.m. Apr. 25 "All That Jazz," featuring Dave Baker and his sextet. Children's Museum. 8 p.m. Apr. 26 Opera, "The Queen of Spades." Indiana University Auditorium, Bloomington. 8 p.m.



Ben-Hur," MGM's spectacular film based on Gen. Lew Wallace's classic novel, is playing at the Indiana Theatre. The cast of thousands features Charlton Heston in the title role. Other stars are Jack Hawkins, Stephen Boyd, and Haya

Apr. 26 The Jordan Ballet. Lilly Hall, Jordan College of Music, Butler University. 3:30 p.m.
Apr. 27 Butler University Third Honor Recital. Lilly Hall, Jordan College of Music, Butler University. 7:30 p.m.
Apr. 29-30 American Ballet Theatre. Indiana University Auditorium, Bloomington. 8 p.m.

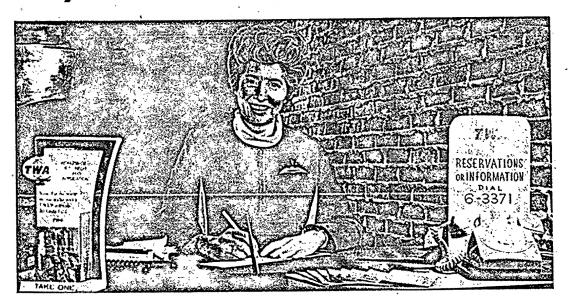
THEATRE

Apr. 18-27 "Goodbye Charlie." Booth Tarkington Civic Theatre, 1847 North Alabama. First Sunday, 7:30 p.m.; second Sunday, 2:30 p.m.; all other performances at 8:30 p.m. No performances April 21 or 22.

Apr. 25-27 "The Country Girl," performed by Jordan College of Music, Lilly Hall, Butler University. Perfomances begin at 8:30 p.m. on April 25 and 26, and at 3:30 p.m. on April 27.

Apr. 28—May 3 "Mame," starring Janet Blair and Elaine Stritch. Clowes Hall, Butler University, Evening performances begin at 8:30 p.m. Wednesday and Saturday matinees begin at 2 p.m. THEATRE

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The first week in July, the newest museum in Indianapolis is scheduled to open to the public. It's located on the corner of South High School Road and Roscoe Turner Drive at Weir Cook Airport, and is appropriately named The Roscoe Turner Museum.

Size of the building from the outside is a bit deceiving as it looks smaller than it is. But inside, visitors will find the 60° x 60° building contains two airplanes, an automobile and literally thousands of mementos acquired by Col. Roscoe Turner during one of the most dramatic and colorful eras of aviation.

One of the aircraft, a Turner special; with a Pratt & Whitney Twin-Row Wasp, Sr. engine, has been completely refurbished, including silver paint, and now stands covered in plastic waiting for the museum opening. The plane, which hung in the loft of the Colonel's fixed base operation hangar for 26 years, was recently taken down from its cobwebs and dust-

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gathering resting spot for a complete face-lifting by Don Young, mechanic and flight engineer who worked for the Colonel through his entire racing career. Young, a resident of California, took a month's leave of absence from his work to come here and transform the aircraft to its museum status. Young was assisted by Turner's younger brother, Bill, who recently retired from the aviation department of Shell Oil Company.

It was in this plane Turner won the Thompson Trophy in 1938 and 1939 at speeds of 283.41 and 282.53 m.p.h. in 300-mile closed course speed contests. In taking the 1939 trophy he became the only person to win the Thompson Trophy Race three times. Five years earlier he had won his first Thompson Trophy in a 300-mile race in which the average speed was 248.12 m.p.h. That year, 1934, he was flying a gold painted Wedell-Williams special with a Pratt and Whitney engine he helped design.

Turner loaned the gold plane to the Thompson Mu-

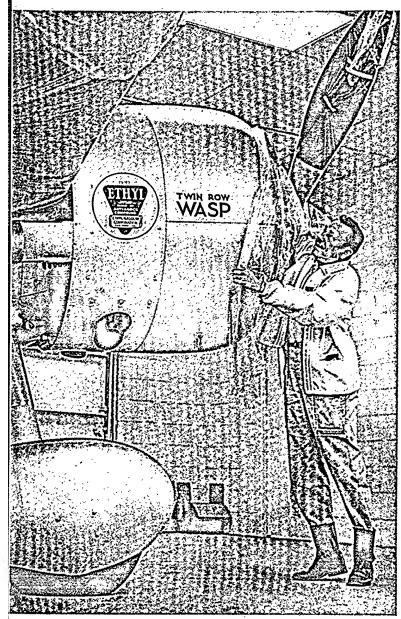
seum in Cleveland in the early 40's, but it's being returned to the Turner Museum to sit companion with the silver, Turner special.

The gold plane bears the number "57" after one of the pilot's early sponsors, Heinz "57." The silver plane wears the number "29," birthdate of the aviator.

Turner was born September 29, 1895, in Corinth, Mississippi. He was one of six children in the farm family. At the age of 16 he left the farm and went to Memphis where he worked as a shipping clerk and then driver of a five-ton ice truck. Later he became a mechanic for Packard and Cadillac.

When World War I broke out, he enlisted in the service as an ambulance driver but was transferred to the aviation section of the Signal Corps, where he earned his commission.

At the age of 23, Turner left active service, bought half interest in a plane and operated The Roscoe



Dale Mason, administrative assistant to Col. Turner, covers the Turner Special aircraft which has already been placed in the museum.

Turner Flying Circus, performing "death-defying" acrobatic flights, until 1925.

His exciting and glamorous career was not always easy sledding, but his flair for life and the lively-his showmanship—his colorful apparel concealed most hardships and to the public revealed a swashbuckling aviator with a lot of courage and dedication to flying.

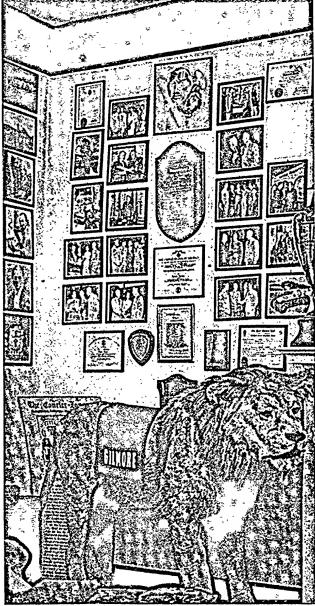
In 1928 his showmanship qualities contributed much to his career in Hollywood, where he introduced to flying such stars as Clark Gable, Fred MacMurray, Joe Brown, Loretta Young, and Miriam Hopkins.

But Turner's major contribution to aviation as we know it today was "speed." His belief in aviation's future and his competitive spirit were attracted to air racing. The goal of this hero of the 30's was speed; his major accomplishment in the industry was speed; and his museum will be the only aviation museum in the world devoted primarily to speed.

Dale Mason, administrative assistant to Turner and a pilot who has worked for him for more than a quarter century, says, "Without some of the items this museum will contain, there couldn't be an air museum devoted to speed." He points out the Smithsonian had asked for the Turner special aircraft in which he won the '38 and '39 Thompson trophies, but the request was denied when Turner learned it would be warehoused until space permitted its display.

The Smithsonian and Wright/Patterson, Air Force Museum are being consulted on ways in which the museum trophies and Turner collection will be displayed here. It will contain post cards, magazines, helmets, goggles, historical material and photographs of the colorful Turner, whom Ernie Pyle described as "the busiest one man aviation industry I ever saw." His busy-ness is what led to: his winning the Thompson Trophy three times; the distinction of being one of two pilots who won both the Thompson and Bendix Trophies (Jimmie Doolittle was the other); winning the Harmon Trophy twice and the Henderson Trophy three times; sponsoring and commanding the only American team to finish (what's been called the "greatest of all air races") the McRobertson International Air Race from London to Melbourne, Australia (in 1934); breaking the transcontinental record more times than any other person; receiving the Distinguished Flying Cross in 1952 by an Act of Congress, for his contributions to aviation development and pioneering in speed flying-this was the first award in over twenty years by an Act of Congress and at that time one of six D.F.C.'s awarded by Congress; receiving the Paul Tissandier Diploma, awarded by Federation Aeronautique International in Vienna, Austria, for his contribution to private and sporting aviation.

During World War II, Turner conducted a flying school in Indianapolis in which several thousand



Gilmore will soon move fom the trophy room at the Turner home to the new quarters in the museum.

flight instructors were trained for the Army, Navy, Marine Corps, and contract flight schools.

Following the war, he was awarded by the federal government authority to operate a local service commercial airline in the Indiana-Michigan and nearby area. The airline was founded in 1949 as Turner Airlines. Two years later Turner felt the airline was not operating as he expected, so he sold his stock. The airline, which became familiar to Hoosiers as Lake Central Airlines, recently merged with Allegheny Airlines.

Items reflecting each of Turner's accomplishments will be in the museum, along with such mementos as an autographed picture of Turner from Orville Wright, photos of Amelie Earhart, Carol Lombard, and hundreds of personalities who have captured the interest of the world.

In the event a non-aviation-minded patron finds he has paid the small admission to the non-profit museum, he will probably find it worth the admission to see the Colonel's four-door, 1929 Packard Phaeton touring car, which will be on display. The stately, gray automobile is in perfect condition, according to Turner. . . right down to the radiator cap or hood ornament as it would be called now, which quite naturally is a silver airplane. He explained, "The Packard was my only ground transportation during my racing career."

But what about Gilmore, the playful lion club which won the hearts of millions during the two and a half years he flew with Turner as a promotion for the Gilmore Oil Company? The four-month-old cub had his first flight on April 13, 1930. After flying 25, 000 miles with America's speed king, the lion was returned to the original owner in Los Angeles.

When Gilmore died, he first visited the taxidermist and was then returned to the Turner home, where he guards the vast collection of trophies and mementos, of "the man who flew with a lion." Gilmore will take a prominent spot in the new museum when it opens.

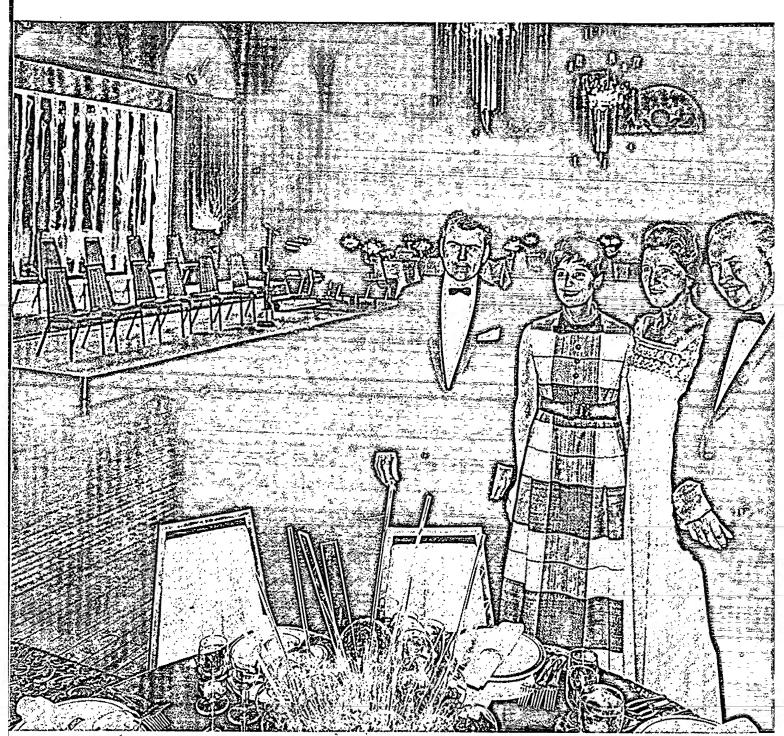
This area's newest museum is the product of Roscoe Turner Aviation Foundation, Inc. Land was furnished by a land lease agreement with the Indianapolis Airport Authority. Members of the Foundation board of directors include Col. Turner, Mason, French M. Elrod, Robert G. Elrod, Donald C. Cassidy, C. B. Smith, W. B. Schmoll, Fred Sommer, and Buford Cadle.

The non-profit corporation will require a token admission to the museum, and proceeds above operating expenses will be distributed on a state level to Boy Scouts of America and Sons of the American Legion.

Who knows? Maybe the choice of beneficiaries will influence a boy to look up in the sky and bring world acclaim to our Hoosier state, just as this Corinth, Mississippi, farm boy did for his "adopted" home.

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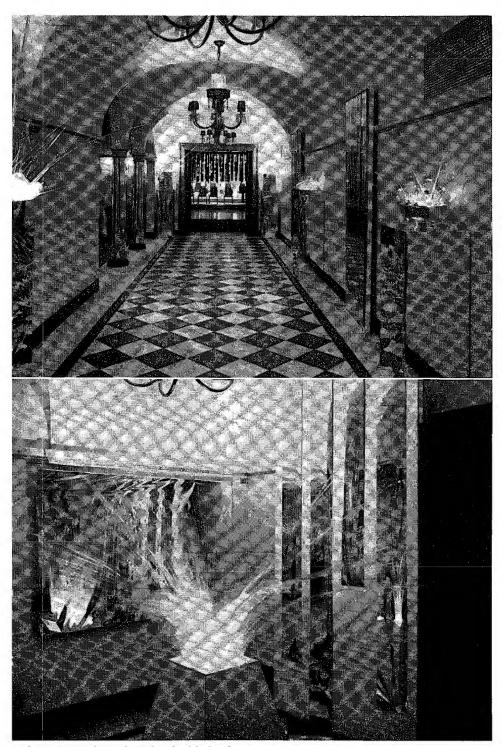
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Mrs. Carroll Blanchar was general chairman of the ball, and co-chairman was Mrs. James Scofield. Left to right, Dr. Scofield, Mrs. Scofield, Mrs. Blanchar, and Mr. Blanchar, who is chairman of the board, Public Service Indiana.

BALL

r the fine arts



Light sculpture by Rob Fisher highlighted entrance.

WHEN 200 COUPLES in a community come forth with \$20,000 for a night's entertainment, it's a safe bet that it's for a worthy cause. The night was March 8. The place was the Indianapolis Athletic Club. The event was "Le Bal de Lumiere." The cause was the \$15 million art museum which is under construction on the grounds of Oldfields.

Tickets for the benefit ball sold for \$100 per couple. Sponsoring organization was the Herron Museum Alliance.

Indianapolis industry went to work for co-chairmen of the decorations committee, Mrs. John L. Carmichael and Mrs. Robert M. Seastrom, and the fine arts ball turned "on" to be one of the brightest occasions on this year's social calendar.

Robert F. Herzer, manager of Indiana sales for the Lamp Division of General Electric Corp., points out he and other businessmen participated in the planning of the lighting, although GE's major contribution turned out to be thousands of clear light bulbs in a variety of sizes-none of which were lit during the evening. Instead, the clear bulbs-more than it would take to illuminate one tower of Rilev Center-were used to reflect the small lights in the base of each table centerpiece. Herzer points out the bright, new bulbs were shipped here from GE plants in various states.

Jones & Laughlin Steel provided wire for fastening the bulbs in the arrangement.

Another major contribution involved 70 silver bowls from Steel Parts Corp., subsidiary of Insilco (former International Silver). The bowls held the light bulb arrangements at the party and later were sold, with proceeds going into the museum fund.

Inside each bowl, at the base of the light bulb arrangement, were six small bulbs powered by a unit of batteries from P. R. Mallory &

Company. A Mallory spokesman explained that size of the power source was the first factor, and the second factor was finding a unit which could supply power up to seven hours.

Graham Electronics of Glendale and Meunier Electronic Supply were involved with the power units for the centerpieces. Grahams assisted in the design, and Meunier supplied the wiring and light sockets for the bowls.

The centerpieces also required styrofoam, an insulating product which Leslie Brothers usually sells by the truckload, but the small, required quantity was freely donated by the building materials firm.

Butler University's pharmaceutizal laboratory provided thin glass tubes and instructed committee members how to cut the ends from the tubes to create more of an asteroid effect in the centerpieces.

Norton Company (formerly National Research Corp.) in Worcester, Massachusetts, a company which helped develop Mylar paper for the Echo space program, donated 21 pounds of the Mylar in a light weight, and R. D. Pratt, Jr., of The Pratt Poster Company, rolled off 600 or 700 feet of heavier Mylar to decorate the bandstand and backdrop. The Pratt Poster Company uses this highly-reflective, material on point-of-sale displays for the automotive and petroleum industries.

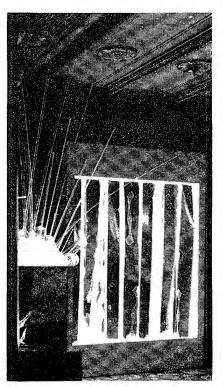
Inland Container Corp. supplied corrugated table tops which were covered with Mylar to resemble plate glass mirrors.

Acrylic plastic was used to enhance the chandeliers in the ballroom. Robert L. Kiewitt, who's in the sales department for Meyer Materials, Inc., estimates his firm used its carbide saw blades to cut 864 1" x 3' acrylic strips and punched an equal number of holes in the strips. Lawrie Landis, Ltd., a Zionsville firm, instructed the Alliance members on assembly of decorations and designed and installed the chandelier decorations.

The display department of L. S. Ayres & Company provided illuminated wall panels behind the bandstand and at various locations in the adjacent Palm Room and French Room.

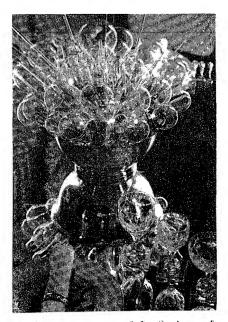
Norman Schnitker, director of the Lighting Sales Division of Indianapolis Power & Light, tackled the problem of exterior lighing. He and his crew began the installation on the Thursday preceding the event. The four trees in front of the building were laden with miniature Italian lights which were borrowed from the Merchants' Association's Christmas Committee. Two Lucalox lamps flooded the canopied entrance. The units were borrowed from The General Electric Outdoor Lighting Division and Pyle-National Company, Steber Division. Dichro color lights at the Vermont Street entrance created a psychedelic effect on a sign provided by the advertising department of IPALCO.

Public Service Indiana was involved from the beginning of the project. Bart Grabow, public relations director for the utility, said their graphic designer, Richard D. Weightman, provided some sketches which launched the decoration

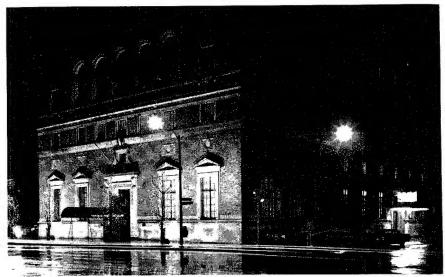


project. "We were involved primarily in design and concept, rather than implementation or installation," Grabow explained. The talents of James Genders, photographer for Public Service, were also donated.

The combined man-hours and material costs would probably be more startling than was the fantastic array of light in the ballroom. But one of the brightest spots on the horizon is industry's interest and willingness to help build Indianapolis' cultural environment. Industry went to bat, 200 couples had a ball, and Indianapolis is approximately \$15,000 closer to "home" in the Museum fund drive.



Display Department of L. S. Ayres & Co. designed wall panels with acrylic free-form sculpture and Mylar, left. Thousand of G.E. light bulbs were used in centerpieces. (Public Service Indiana photo, above, by James Genders.) Indianapolis Power & Light installed exterior lighting.



On Your Mark — Get Set Here Comes the Month of May!

The month of May will be heralded by the traditional Mayor's Breakfast on Saturday, May 3, at the Murat Temple. Bob Wagner, co-star of the movie, "Winning," has been invited to emcee the event which officially opens activities at the Indianapolis Motor Speedway. Mayor and Mrs. Richard G. Lugar will be honored guests at the breakfast, and Carl R. Dortch, executive vice president of the Indianapolis Chamber, is general chairman.

Following the breakfast (which will be attended by race officials and drivers), a motorcade, led by official pace cars, will travel to the speedway, where those who attend the breakfast will have the opportunity to drive their cars around the track prior to opening ceremonies.

Tickets for the breakfast and other non-invitational activities of the "500" Festival may be obtained from the Festival office in the Indianapolis Athletic Club.

The following week, the two-day gin rummy tournament will get under way on Friday, the 9th. The tournament is open to the first 512 persons who pay the \$10. registration fee. Applications are obtainable from the "500" Festival office.

The annual Armed Forces Day Luncheon is scheduled May 9 at the Murat Temple. In addition to the luncheon, which annually attracts about 500 civic, business and military leaders, industrial and military exhibits will be set up for the Salute to Armed Forces, May 12-18. Speaker for the luncheon has not been announced.

The "500" Festival of Arts is scheduled from May 10 through the 24th. The Indianapolis Art League and the Merchants Association are co-sponsors of the arts competition which is open to anyone in the state. Details of eligibility, categories and prizes may be obtained from the Indianapolis Art League. More than 1,000 art works will be on display in downtown stores during the Arts Festival.

A newcomer on the "500" Festival calendar this year is the Indianapolis Press Club's Front Page Ball. It will

vitational, friends of Press Club members may obtain invitations through the ball committee. Music for the event will be provided by Charlie Edwards and his orchestra. Qualifications at the track begin

be held Friday, May 16, at the Murat

Temple. Although the event is in-

May 17, when the pole position will be determined. Sunday, May 18 is the second day of qualifications, and May 24 and 25 conclude the vie for the 33 racing spots.

On Saturday, May 24, during the second weekend of qualifications, the annual Balloon Race has been scheduled, and this day has been designated Band Recognition Day. Baton twirlers will be competing at the War Memorial Plaza on the 24th. In each age category, winners will receive trophies and an option to be in the "500" Memorial Parade. The sweepstakes winner is the leader of the parade.

Culminating events of the 24th is the Queen's Ball, another of the invitational events, but an activity which is annually telecast.

Each year, on the south steps of the War Memorial, a "500" Memorial Service is scheduled the Sunday before the race. The service pays tribute to those who have lost their lives in the service of their country. It begins at 3 p.m.

Another new event on the "500" calendar is the "Old Timers" Banquet, which is scheduled Monday, May 26.

On Tuesday, May 27, the annual Racing Awards and Pole Mechanic's Banquet is planned. Tickets for this dinner are available through the "500" Festival office. The event honors the mechanic of the car which wins the pole position, and racing awards are presented to others.

For the first time in the history of the Festival, an international float will be entered in the "500" Memorial Parade. The Spanish government will sponsor a float which reflects life in Spain. The country is also sending entertainers, including Flamenco dancers, who will perform at the Queen's Ball. The "500" Memorial Parade is scheduled Wednesday, May 28. The route has been altered slightly. It will form at North and Pennsylvania, go south to Market, west to the Circle and 3/4 around the Circle, then north on Meridian to 16th Street. Tickets for chairs and bleacher seats may be obtained at the Festival office or in the Eastern Air Lines ticket office on the Circle.

The last official activity before the race is the President's reception, an invitational events on Thursday, May

On Saturday, May 31, the day following the race, the annual Victory Awards Banquet is scheduled at the Egyptian Room of the Murat Temple. Tickets for the dinner (at \$10. each) may be obtained from the Indianapolis Chamber.

Selection of the Queen

Events leading up to the month of May involve the selection of the "500" Queen. The 33 candidates, selected by members of the "500" Festival Board of Directors, will have a get-acquainted day on April 5, when L.S. Ayres will entertain them. Avres has been selected as the official conturier for the princesses and the

The preliminary judging will be held April 12 and 13 at the Atkinson Hotel. By the time of the Princesses Dinner on Sunday evening, selection will be narrowed to five girls.

The coronation of the queen takes place at the Oueen Selection Dinner, which will be in the Egyptian Room of the Murat Temple on Saturday, April 19.

Raceway Park

Two racing events at Indianapolis Raceway Park are expected to attract many race fans during May. The Yankee 250 is scheduled Sunday, May 4, at 1:30 p.m. Thirty cars compete in this USAC sponsored 1969 stock car event. Qualifications for the event are Saturday, May 3, from 12:30 to 4 p.m. Those competing for honors this year will include Foyt, Andretti, McCluskey, Bettenhausen, Al Unser and other race favorites.

On Thursday, May 29, the eve of the 500-mile race, midget cars will race at Indianapolis Raceway Park. Practice begins at 5 p.m., qualifications at 6 p.m., and the first of the Twin, 30-lap race begins at 8:30 p.m. There are approximately 60 entries, of which 20 may qualify. It is anticipated that many drivers who do not qualify for the "500" will participate in this event. Tickets will be available at the gate, and bus service to and from Raceway Park will be available.

World Premiere

The World Premiere of the Universal "Winning," starring Paul Newman, Joanne Woodward, and Bob Wagner, is scheduled in three Priority theatres on Saturday, May 17. It is anticipated that the three leads, directors and producers and other Universal Stars will make personal appearances at each of the three movie houses, the Regency I, the Carlyle and the Georgetown. Tickets may be obtained at the box office the day of the opening.

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11		13 e to Armed Forces, May festival of Arts, May 10-		15	"500" 1969 Front Page Ball* Autolite Pace- maker Dinner*	First day of Qualifications World Premiere of "Winning," starring Paul Newman
18 Second day of Qualifications	Monroe Rookie Recognition Dinner*	20	D-A Mechanical Achievement Award Luncheon*	Champion 100 m.p.h Dinner*	23	Third day of Qualifications "500" Balloon Race "500" Band Recognition Day "500" Baton Twirling Contest "500" Queen's Ball*
25 Final day of	26	27	28	"Night Before the 500" Midget Race. Raceway Park	30	31
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Where Children Discover & Learn

WHAT IS A CHILDREN'S Museum? It's a collection of historical, scientific, and natural history items, . . . and much more. It's a place where children discover and learn. It's a place to be enjoyed by adults who still have a young curiosity about life.

The Children's Museum of Indianapolis is a feather in this city's cap. The museum director, Mildred S. Compton, does not qualify her statement, "We have the finest collections of any children's museum, anywhere."

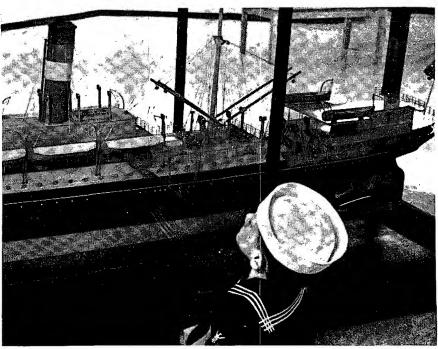
Most of these unexcelled collections had their origins in the homes of Indianapolis families. When time came to find a permanent spot for a collection, the Children's Museum became the logical heir.

The goal in recent years has been to fill in the gaps, to augment the collections so they tell a complete story to a curious child or adult. Museum officials feel that purchases must be made now before prices spiral more and while the sought-after items are still available. With the added emphasis in recent years on museums and museum visiting, many items are already at a premium. And that, coupled with rapidly rising operating costs, has made the Children's Museum look for a broader base of support, as have museums everywhere.

Within recent years civic responsibilities in many cities have shifted slightly from a few wealthy individuals to the involvement of the business community. It is estimated nationally that industry gives .025 percent of its profit to artistic endeavors. That percentage amounts to something approaching \$25 million annually. This union of business and arts is reflective of a statement by James P. McFarland, president of General Mills, that "American business cannot divorce itself from the climate in which it operates."

"There is no admission charge at the Children's Museum, because those who use it the most are least able to support it," museum officials point out.

The museum has fifty corporate members which provide approximately 3% of the operating budget. Other financial sources are individual memberships, income from endowments, foundation grants, school grants and



Two generations of youngsters have experienced the Children's Museum, and records indicate about one-third of the visitors today are adults.



The large stone home, sitting quietly on a terrace at 3010 North Meridian, beckons visitors to see the unexcelled collections it contains.

the fund raising efforts of the Museum Guild.

Although museum officials say the primary need from business is greater financing, they express appreciation for other ways industry gives aid to the Children's Museum. "The museum is a showcase for industries to exhibit their own collections," Mrs. Compton says. As an example, a few years ago, at Christmastime, the Children's Museum showed an excellent exhibit of antique Christmas cards from the Hallmark Historic Collection. Museum visitors flocked to see the early cards and to learn of the evolution of the industry as evidenced in the comparison of the old greetings with the more familiar current ones."

Industry also creates exhibits which have a direct tie-in with their own businesses. One example is a unique exhibit built by IBM. It includes working models of the scientific principles discovered by Leonardo da Vinci. This was one of the most successful exhibits shown here, museum officials say, and the museum is on the waiting list to have this display return.

One of the finest evidences of corporate help is the 100-year-old wood burning engine, the Reuben Wells. This antique product of the railroading industry enables adults to recapture a tangible piece of their Hoosier heritage, and often produces for youngsters the exciting experience of

boarding a train for the first time. The Reuben Wells was obtained from Penn Central through the efforts of many Indianapolis businessmen, including Otto Frenzel, a member of the board of directors of Penn Central.

Other contributions include those made by such industries as Naegele Outdoor Advertising, who has given the use of billboards for promotional purposes, and by Eli Lilly & Company which, in addition to other support, has loaned the talents of their trained executives in the installation of the science gallery.

One of the biggest all-out efforts of business is the Haunted House, the successful enterprise which is sponsored annually by the Children's Museum Guild.

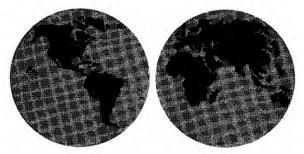
For five years Indianapolis businesses have helped the Guild haunt an old house to raise money for the Children's Museum (and to provide constructive Halloween entertainment for the kids). Last fall over 50,000 voungsters paid 50¢ each to be "frightened," and (with little overhead) the profit was what every businessman dreams of. A listing of the companies that have aided in one form or another would be impressive, but it is interesting to note that five companies have sponsored a room in the haunted house each year: The William H. Block Company, H. P. Wasson and Company, J. C. Penney Company, Sears, Roebuck & Company, and the House of James Beauty College. Burger Chef has given a coupon for free hamburgers with presale tickets and this year provided 40,000 give-away activity books for the youngsters. "Indianapolis business is what makes this project tick," Guild members point out.

While seeking increased business support, museum officials feel the facility returns something to the community. "We feel we're a partner with industry in making the community a better place in which to live and work. We feel our outstanding facility also helps recruit out-oftown employees. When the Children's Museum installed a science gallery, consideration was given to the fact that with this small beginning Indianapolis should have greater appeal for science-oriented men and their families."

Two generations now remember childhood experiences at the Children's Museum. Another is on its way. An estimated 160,000 visitors went to the museum last year. Between 50,000 and 60,000 were adults.

Museum officials feel these visitors' lives have been enriched and a natural incentive to broaden educational pursuits has been provided. They say, "Such provision goes a long way toward keeping in Indianapolis the bright youth of today who will be productive businessmen tomorrow."

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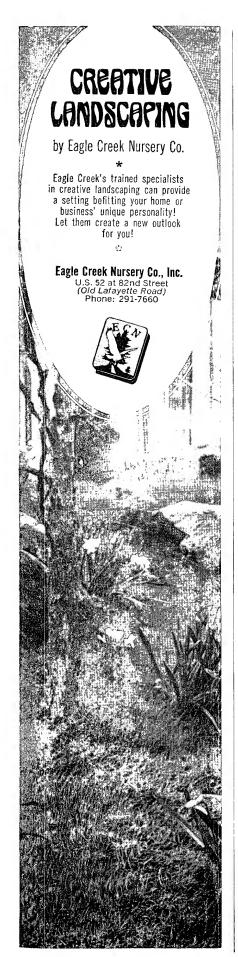
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L. D. Lanford Elected To Chamber Board

L. D. Lanford has been elected to the Board of Directors of the Indianapolis Chamber of Commerce, filling the unexpired term of Walter H. Pagenkopf. Lanford became the general manager of Western Electric Company's Manufacturing Division March 1, at the time of Pagenkopf's retirement from the firm.

Lanford, a graduate of Virginia Polytechnic Institute, began his Western Electric career in 1946 as a planning engineer at the North Carolina Works. In 1952 he was promoted to department chief and placed in charge of test and engineering planning for the Nike guided missile radar system. In May of 1957, he joined the SAGE project, a system for air surveillance of the U.S.

Lanford was transferred to Kansas City in 1960 and became manager of engineering there in 1961. He became manager of development and manufacturing engineering at the Allentown Works in 1963 and general manager of the Reading, Pennsylvania, Plant in 1965.

In March of last year he came to the Indianapolis Works as director of manufacturing.

Pagenkopf joined Western Electric in 1926 as a student engineer in Chicago. Following subsequent promotions, he became general manager of the Indianapolis Works in August 1962

Pagenkopf was elected to the Chamber Board of Directors in 1963 and has served successive terms since then. Upon his retirement, the Chamber Board expressed appreciation for service he has rendered to the Chamber and the community.



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Sales and Marketing Execs Honored at Annual Dinner

THE AWARDS BANQUET of the Sales and Marketing Executives of Indianapolis flourishes in pomp and ceremony each year. Over 250 members and guests attended the Distinguished Salesman's Award Dinner at the Columbia Club on March 10.

Guests were seated to welcome twenty-three award-winning salesmen from sixteen firms as they were individually introduced by Robert Dittus, vice president and central district manager for Statesman Insurance Group and chairman of the dinner. Each of the award recipients was escorted to the speaker's table by his spouse or escort for the evening.

The Indianapolis club is affiliated with the international organization, which includes more than 25,000 members of 240 clubs in 47 nations. The organization is dedicated to encouraging people-to-people contact between marketing professionals, complementing government-to-government economic assistance programs, fostering understanding of the values of free enterprise, and educating marketing executives to new levels of effectiveness.

Robert V. Kail, Indianapolis passenger sales manager for Trans World Airlines and president of the local organization presided at the dinner meeting. Arrangements were made by Robert Stone, membership relations director for the Indianapolis Chamber and executive director of the local SME group.

Members who were cited as distinguished salesmen were Robert Boak, Central Rubber & Supply Company, Inc.; Louis Robert Brand, Business Furniture Corp.; Jerry D. Christenbury, Grain Dealers Mutual Insurance Company; Mrs. Sarah Dixon, Tom Perkins Gallery of Homes; Richard K. Durling, Hoosier Coal & Oil Company, Fuel Division; Harry E. Federspill, Central Rubber & Supply Company, Inc.; Roger Holdeman, Central Rubber & Supply Company, Inc.; Peter Thomas Kelley, Indiana Bell Telephone Company, Inc.; Mrs. Doris King, Tammey Jewels, Inc.; Mrs. Frances Langford, Tammey Jewels, Inc.; Waring Lynch,



First of the twenty-three recipients of the Distinguished Salesman's Award was Robert Boak of Central Rubber & Supply Company, Inc., who was accompanied by his wife. The award is referred to as the "Oscar" of the selling profession by members of the Sales and Marketing Executives Club.

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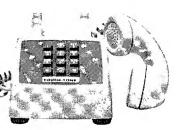
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Charles H. Callahan has joined the staff of Loer, Gant & Krueger, Inc., Indianapolis-based industrial and management consultants. He has spent more than 25 years in this field, and his background includes time study analysis, methods procedures, system analysis, estimating, feasibility analysis, cost control systems, incentive plans, wage and salary evaluation, and organization analysis. He has also conducted classes in executive development, industrial management, and wage and salary evaluation at Industrial Engi neering College in Chicago.

Jay Shadoan has been named advertising manager for Ransburg Electro-Coating Corp. He will be responsible for supervision of Ransburg's advertising, sales promotion and public relations activities. Prior to joining Ransburg, Shadoan was advertising manager for Rough Notes, Indianapolis publishing firm, and was previously employed as advertising assistant for Lake Central Airlines and as an editor for Citizen's Gas & Coke Utility. Shadoan is a graduate of Arsenal Technical High School and attended Indiana University in



Bloomington, Charles W. Hoffmann,

has joined the legal staff of Rans-

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burg Electro-Coating, as patent at torney. He is a 1958 graduate of Purdue University and received his LL.B from the University of Texas in 1961. Prior to joining Ransburg, he was senior patent attorney for P. R. Mallory & Company, Inc. and served as patent examiner for the Department of Commerce in Washington, D. C. Other personnel announcements have been made by the firm: William R. Duffer, has been named assistant to the sales manager, automatic equipment, and Geno M. Floreancig has been named purchasing agent. Duffer is responsible for recommending, issuing quotations on and assisting in sales of all Ransburg automatic equipment. He has been with Ransburg since 1963. Duffer is a graduate of South port High School and attended Purdue University, military electronics school and a German language school in Trier, Germany. Floreancig's duties include coordination of all purchasing for the Indianapolisbased manufacturer of electrostatic finishing equipment and systems. He attended George Washington High School and is a 1953 graduate of Butler University. He also attended General Motors Tech school in Speedway City. Prior to joining Ransburg, he was employed by the State of Indiana, Ford Motor Company in Indianapolis, and Allison Division of General Motors. Roy L. Neiman, who has been associated with the Ransburg firm for ten years, has been named manual equipment sales co-ordinator. He is responsible for quotations, pricing, processing orders and preparation of lab testing reports to salesmen and customers Larry Utterback, has been named supervisor of training-manual equipment, and will supervise training of customers and the firm's sales and service personnel.



Dr. James W. Barnhart and Dr. Jerrell B. Emery have been promoted to senior research classifications by The Dow Chemical Company. Dr. Barnhart has been promoted to senior research chemist, and Dr. Emery



Barnhart

Emery

to senior research virologist. Both are employed by the Dow Human Health Research and Development Laboratories near Indianapolis. Dr. Barnhart became associated with Dow in 1962, after receiving a Ph.D. degree in biochemistry from the University of Maryland. He also has a B.A. in chemistry from Columbia Union College. Dr. Emery joined the Virus Research Laboratories of Dow in 1953, after receiving his B.Ed. in 1951 and his M.Sc. in 1952, both from the University of Toledo. He was awarded a Ph.D. in 1960 from Purdue University.

Angela M. Taylor has been named inflight service manager at Indianapolis for Allegheny Airlines. Mrs. Taylor joined Allegheny in 1967 as inflight service manager in Washington, D.C., and served in that capacity until being transferred to Indianapolis. She was graduated from the Central School of Speech and Drama, London, England, in 1959 and was a stewardess for Pan American World Airways in 1961 and 1962.

Robert D. Hammer, senior vice president of Indianapolis Morris Plan, has been re-elected president of the Consumer Credit Counseling Service of Central Indiana (CCCS). Three new board members are Max Danner, president of Danner Stores, Thomas S. Nurnberger, president of Indiana Bell Telephone Company, and Willis N. Zagrovich, president of the Indiana Council of the AFL-CIO. CCCS is a non-profit corporation established in 1965 by Indianapolis business and civic leaders to provide free assistance to people who become over-

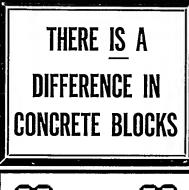


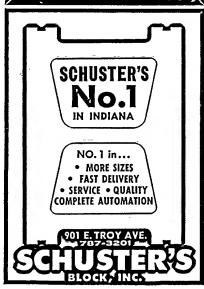
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J. L. (Jerry) Carlson has received the President's Cup Award from the General Fireproofing Company for outstanding sales performance in 1968. Carlson joined GF in 1960. He was a branch salesman in GF's Boston office and was promoted to his present position of district manager for Indiana, Michigan and Kentucky in 1966.

Richard D. Muir has been elected president of Arsenal Savings and

Loan Association. Prior to joining Arsenal, he was a vice president of American Fletcher National Bank. In 1955, he founded Neighbor Finance Corporation in Indianapolis and was

Muir president until joining AFNB. He received his A.B. degree from Indiana University and attended Consumer Finance Institute at Marquette University. He is a graduate of the Consumer Credit Management Program, Arden House, of Columbia University.

H. Dale Von Gunten has been named corporate quality control manager of National Starch & Chemical Corporation. A Purdue University graduate in chemical engineering, he joined NSC in 1949. H. Richard Unkel has been named product control supervisor at the Indianapolis plant of National Starch. Unkel, previously plant quality control supervisor, is a chemical engineering graduate of Ohio State University and has been employed by NSC since 1941.

Morris Katz, executive vice president, Katz Bag Co., Inc., was elected president of the Textile Bag Processor's Assn., Inc. at the annual convention in Miami Beach. The association includes textile bag firms in every state and many foreign countries. Katz served as vice president of the association last year.

McOuade Wilkens Bloomhorst. Inc. has been appointed advertising and public relations consultant for Construction Products Corporation, a concrete products manufacturing corporation with divisions in Lafay-



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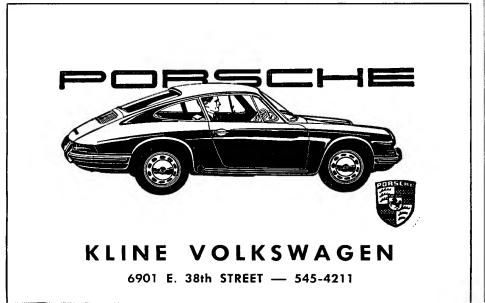


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partment of Indiana Blue Cross and Blue Shield. He was formerly an account coordinator. Before joining Blue Cross and Blue Shield, Brands served in the United States Army from 1958 to 1967.

The Haag Drug Company has been named "National Retailer of Distinc tion" by the Brand Names Founda tion. The local drug chain was cited for excellence in merchandising "brand names." The award will be presented by the Foundation on Apri 10 in New York City. The Haas

Drug Company will be represented by Arnold G. Busse, vice president and treasurer and Robert Gilliland, ad vertising supervisor.

John B. Kemerly has been elected vice president of McBroom Electric Company, Inc., a Tycodyne Com pany. Prior to his election, he wa sales manager in charge of the Trans portation Division of the firm, han dling sales and service of Cushmar industrial and golf vehicles. He is treasurer of the General Motors In stitute Alumni Association, secretary treasurer of the Professional Gol Salesman's Association, and a mem ber of the Sales and Marketing Ex ecutive Club.

Raymond Randolph of Indianapoli was honored recently as Salesman o the Year for Summit Laboratories Inc., and Margaret Richardson o East Orange, N. J., was selected Technician of the Year for the In dianapolis-based manufacturer of hai care products.

William F. Oswalt, president o Thermolator Company, has announced the appointment of Keith Bratton Ad vertising & Promotions as their ad vertising and public relations counsel Manufacturers of circulating fluid temperature control systems, Ther molator Company provides major in dustry from coast to coast with oi or water heat exchanger systems Bratton Advertising was also recent ly retained as advertising agency fo Pension Administrators, Inc., a firn of actuarial, design and administrative specialist in corporation group retire ment and other employee benefi plans. It is headed by Harler Leath erman, Jr., Carl Lentz and Rober Buckner, and Kurt Peters is also a representative of the firm.

Allan Zukerman has been appointed vice president and a principal in Ruben, Montgomery & Associates Inc. He joined the agency as a copy

writer, was named broadcast director in 1966, and creative director in December, 1968. He is a graduate of Shortridge High School, attended Arizona University and earned his Bachelor of Science degree in business administration at Indiana University.

George L. Shunk, Jr., has been named executive vice president and general manager of Indianapolis White-Autocar,



Autocar in 1963 from I & S - Mc-Daniel, Inc. Both firms are headed by C. James Mc-Cormick. Shunk is a native of War-

Inc. He came to

Indianapolis White

saw, Indiana, and

Shunk

a graduate of Purdue.

Robert H. McKinney and Thomas W. Binford have been named to the board of directors of Hancock County Bank. McKinney is president of Iefferson Corporation, which acquired controlling interest in the bank last October. Binford serves on the Jefferson Corporation board; is president of D-A Lubricant Company, Inc., Indianapolis, and is a director and immediate past president of the United States Auto Club.

Hampton J. Cooper, CLU, has been appointed superintendent of agencies for The State Life Insurance Company, and Edward E. Thomas has been named superintendent in charge of Indiana growth and development. Cooper has moved to Indianapolis from Albuquerque, New Mexico, where he has been in professional insurance management for 14 years.

H. Richard Rosengarten has been appointed director of employee relations of Citizens Gas & Coke Utility, and Charles R. Dorrel has been named manager of training in the personnel department. Rosengarten returned to Citizens Gas, where he had been employed for 12 years, after a year as publications and information officer of the Purdue University Indianapolis Campus. Before leaving the Utility in 1968, he had served as training manager since 1965. He is a graduate of Tech High School and the University of Notre Dame. Dorrel has worked for Citizens Gas since 1957. He is a graduate of Warren Central High School and Indiana Central College.

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Business is playing a role in the program. The Marion County Teen Guide Council, a ten-year old organization composed of two representatives from each high school in the county, is sponsored by Indianapolis Morris Plan.

Buttons have been provided by the Insurance Institute of Indiana. WFBM-TV, produced television spots, and WIFE produced radio spots to help convey the message to the teenagers as well as an adult audience.

The posters have been designed by Jerry Steadham, of Garrison, Jasper, Rose & Company, and the printing is

supplied by Studio Press.

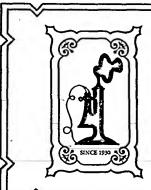
Mark Harshman, a senior at North Central High School, is project chairman. He explains, "'Get With It' says two things: 'the consequences of committing a crime and getting caught are not worth it; and there's a difference between ratting on a friend and reporting a crime."

Secretaries Week Coming Up Soon

If your secretary scowls at you during the week of April 20-26, it's probably because you've failed to mention National Secretaries Week. Wednesday, April 23, has been designated Secretaries Day.

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Prepared by the Economic Research Department of the Indiana National Bank

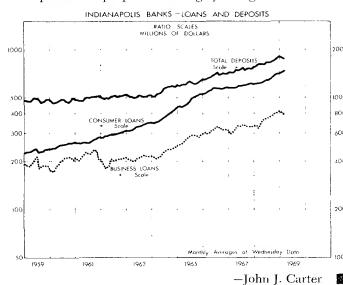
The Boom in Indianapolis Persists

Buoyancy in the Indianapolis economy is still very much in evidence. Manufacturing activity has provided considerable impetus in the local area since the first of the year, with the source of strength largely in machinery and transportation equipment production. The gains in January and February in local durable-goods production tend to confirm the results of a recent survey that suggested that considerably more expansion of capital spending was likely in 1969 than was expected a few months ago. Expansion in this type production during 1965 and 1966 resulted in a relatively favorable performance in the manufacturing sector of the local economy in those years and, consequently, the recent survey provides encouragement that manufacturing activity in the Indianapolis economy will be maintained at relatively high levels for some time yet.

An effect of increases in manufacturing production has been reflected in a much-less-than usual decrease in Indianapolis area employment since the first of the year. Preliminary figure reveal that employment in both the manufacturing and non-manufacturing industries probably increased from mid-January to mid-February, the dates in each month when the State Employment Security Division makes its monthly survey. An increase would actually be contrary to the usual seasonal change so that the seasonally adjusted figures undoubtedly reflected a significant increase, probably new highs. Unemployment, after seasonal adjustment, has remained at about two percent of the area's total labor force, the lowest level reported in two years. Certain skills are in relatively short supply, and an index of help-wanted advertising indicates that an intense search for skills has been necessary in several sectors of the local economy.

New highs in payroll incomes in the Indianapolis eightcounty area, of course, have been a result of the high levels maintained in employment. These highs, together with contra-seasonal increases in installment debt, have provided the wherewithal for significant increases in local consumer spending. Indianapolis department-stores sales, seasonally adjusted, rose to new highs in February, the second consecutive month in which a seasonally adjusted index of sales had increased. Weekly reports of local-store sales suggest that further gains may be expected for March. Retail trade in the local area has been unusually strong in the first quarter of this year, which development tends to belie the view that a curtailment of consumer spending is beginning to occur.

In view of the trends reflected by these few business statistics, persistent strength still seems to be a characteristic of the Indianapolis economy and the search for signs of a slowdown must continue. The recent increases in bank-loan rates to new highs are a direct reflection of the failure of signs to appear that the inflationary pressures have been alleviated. However, the pressures of credit demands have not been so great on Indianapolis-area banks as on those located in the major financial centers. Consequently, while astute allocation of available funds has been necessary by local bankers in meeting credit demands, those legitimate needs of local borrowers for non-speculative purposes are largely being met.



Business Barometer

	February 1969	January 1969	February 1968	JanFeb. 1969	JanFeb. 1968	Change 68-69
BANKING						
Clearings	\$ 733,370,151	\$1,169,030,015	\$ 699,045,983	\$1,902,400,166	\$1,676,161,491	+ 13.59
Debits: Unadjusted Seasonally Adj.	\$2,603,895,353 \$2,887,410,156	\$3,365,632,978 \$3,142,147,722	\$2,353,048,360 \$2,512,893,516	\$5,969,528,331 \$6,029,557,878	\$5,469,714,860 \$5,405,673,323	$^{+}$ 9.1% $^{+}$ 11.5%
CONSTRUCTION PERMITS				***		
City of Indianapolis Number, Total Value, Total Business, Industrial	\$ 21,971,099	\$ 4,947,940	1,180 \$ 6,374,329	1,638 \$ 26,919,039	\$ 11,588,698	-18.69 $+132.39$
& Public, Value	\$ 20,086,342	\$ 3,125,000	\$ 1,708,639	\$ 23,211,342	\$ 3,125,139	+642.79
Residential: Number Value Dwelling Units Marion County (Excluding Incorporated Areas)	\$ 166,700 11	\$ 395,200 39	\$ 1,274,100 131	33 \$ 561,900 50	\$ 3,363,000 413	- 74.8% - 83.3% - 87.9%
Number, Total Value, Total Business, Industrial	975 \$ 7,333,979	\$ 4,922,662	631 \$ 5,934,366	$\begin{array}{c} 1,651 \\ \$ 12,256,641 \end{array}$	1,183 \$ 10,366,418	+ 39.69 + 18.29
& Public, Value	\$ 914,000	\$ 1,211,900	\$ 2,070,000	\$ 2,125,900	\$ 3,513,500	- 39.5%
Residential: Number Value Dwelling Units Real Estate Transfers	\$ 4,336,972 351 3,248	\$ 1,543,767 113 3,156	\$ 3,041,333 445 3,223	$\begin{array}{c} 261 \\ \$ \qquad 5,880,739 \\ 464 \\ 6,404 \end{array}$	\$ 4,014,155 499 5,069	$egin{array}{l} + & 54.4\% \ + & 46.5\% \ - & 7.0\% \ + & 26.3\% \end{array}$
EMPLOYMENT (8-County Metro. Area) Labor Force	464,600 454,300 138,200 10,300 2.2	463,900 453,100 137,900 10,600 2.3	452,300 437,800 131,500 13,900 3.1			
Unemployment: Initial Claims Filed Benefit Payments, Total	2,188 \$ 368,305	3,988 \$ 364,308	\$ 4,506 \$ 680,465	\$ 732,613	\$ 1,293,895	- 43.4%
RETAIL SALES Department Store SalesF	our weeks endin	g March 1) Cha	nge + 6.1%	(Jan	. 1, to March)	+ 8.39
FRANSPORTATION						
Air Passengers Carried	142,613 6,515,573 15,406 6,474 8,437 1,610,346 N/A N/A (Week ending	154,237 8,031,998 12,524 6,766 5,487 1,670,718 8,548 7,626 g March 1) Cha	135,896 5,610,011 16,541 7,338 8,780 1,670,629 7,428 8,103 nge — 6.3%	296,850 14,547,571 27,930 13,240 13,924 3,281,064 N/A N/A	$284,547 \\ 11,840,353 \\ 30,285 \\ 14,560 \\ 14,882 \\ 3,386,875 \\ 16,594 \\ 14,353$	+ 4.39 + 22.99 - 7.89 - 9.19 - 6.49 - 3.19 N/A
UTILITIES						
Electric: Power Used (KWH) Customers Served Gas: Used (Total CFT) Customers Served Water: Used (Total GAL) Customers Served Telephone: Total In Service Customers Served	$476,620,784\\265,388\\6,319,178,000\\192,258\\2,244,420,000\\155,343\\495,561\\284,445$	483,174,010 264,928 7,834,795,000 192,016 2,507,890,000 155,374 492,319 283,491	$441,380,868 \\ 259,941 \\ 6,629,318,000 \\ 192,062 \\ 2,221,083,000 \\ 154,298 \\ 466,116 \\ 269,827$	959,794,794 14,153,973,000 4,752,310,000	880,011,216 13,613,185,000 4,636,203,000	+ 9.1% + 4.0% + 2.5%
MISCELLANEOUS Livestock Receipts (Head) Postal Receipts	\$ 107,494 \$ 2,890,861	121,172 \$ 3,252,857	121,525 \$ 2,904,109	228,666 \$ 6,143,718	\$ 6,093,988	- 6.39 + 0.89
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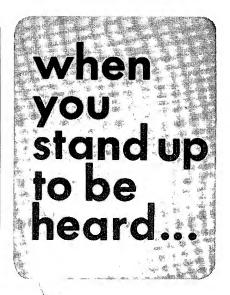
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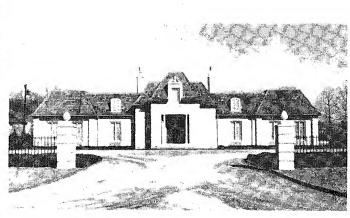
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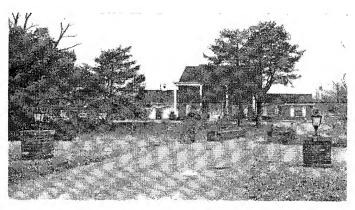
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, Mr. Tolson

DATE: 5/13/69

Rosen Sullivan Trotter Tele, Room Holmes

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: C. D. DeLoach

SUBJECT: WILLIAM C. DOYLE

NAȚIONAL COMMANDER

THE AMERICAN LEGION NATIONAL

The Director will recall that he saw National Commander William ConDoyle at 10 a.m., Monday, May 12th. D.C.

After leaving the Director's Office, Doyle came to my office where I chatted briefly with him. Since he is very interested in communism and subversion, I presented him with a copy of Overstreets' book "The FBI in Our Open Society." Commander Doyle was most grateful and said he would be even more appreciative if the Director would consent to autograph the book for him. He said he realized that the Director was not the author. but just having the Director's autograph in it would make it a more cherished book for his library.

RECOMMENDATION:

That the Director autograph the attached book to William C. Doyle, National Commander, The American Legion, and that it be returned Sent 5-14-69 Kes to my office for delivery to him.

Enclosure

1 - Mr. DeLoach

1 - Mr. Bishop

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Mr. Tolson Mr. Delbach Mr. A Conrad... Tr. Felt. Ir. Gale__. Mr. Rosen. Mr. Sullivan Mr. Tavel. Mr. Trotter. Turner Tele. Room. Miss Holmes. Miss Gandy.

May 13, 1969

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover, Director Federal Bureau of Investigation O american Legion National United States Department of Justice Washington, D.C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

Colonel Turner is in receipt of your nice letter of May 9, 1969, however, he is out of town until after the middle of May. Your letter will be referred to him immediately upon his return.

> Réspectfully yours, Secretary to Colonel Roscoe Turner

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May 12, 1969

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My dear Commander:

It was indeed a pleasure to see you this morning and to receive not only the very handsome 50th Anniversary Medallion of The American Legion, but the special lighter, cuff links and tie bar, and pen. Each will be a treasured memento of our meeting, and I certainly want to thank you and through you the members of your organization for this significant honor.

I thought you might like to have a copy of the photograph taken this morning, and it is being sent to you under separate cover.

Sincerely. J. EDGAR HOOVER 2 MAY 21 1969 Honorable William CA Doyle SENT FROM D. O. National Commander TIME 6/15 The American Legion Post Office Box 1055. Indianapolis, Indiana 46206 Tolson DeLoach _ Mohr . Bishop Casper 1 - Mr. DeLoach (sent direct) Callahan Conrad 1 - Mr. Bishop (sent direct) Felt. Gale Sullivan Trotter Tele. Room

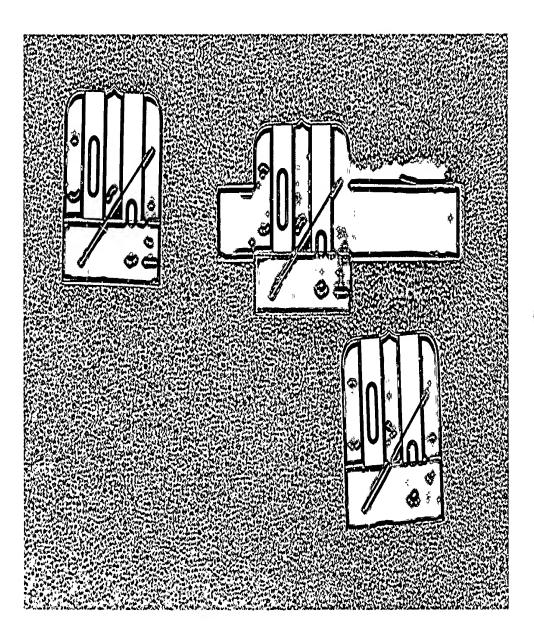
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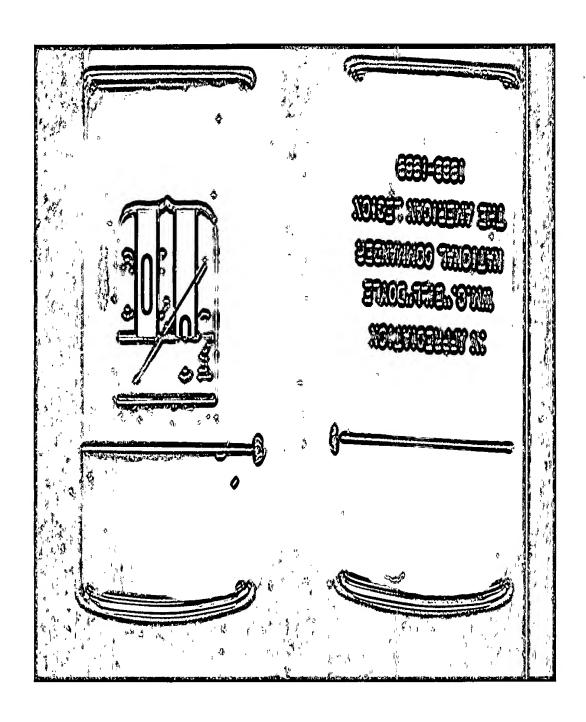
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OPTIONAL FORM NO. 10 PMAY 1962 ESTION GSA GEN. REG. NO. 27 5010-106 UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT lemorandùm Felt Gale DATE: 4/30/69 : Mr. Bishop Rosen Sullivan FROM SUBJECT: NATIONAL COMMANDER Verson as THE AMERICAN LEGION REQUEST TO SEE THE DIRECTOR MAY 12 or 13, 1969 The Washington Office of The American Legion has advised Mr. DeLoach that National Commander William C. Doyle will be in Washington on May 12th and 13th, next, and is most anxious to come in and pay his respects to the Director and present him with a 50th Anniversary Medallion. Doyle was unanimously elected National Commander at the 50th Annual Convention of the Legion in New Orleans on September 12, 1968. Doyle was born in Burlington, New Jersey, in 1918, and served in World War II. He is presently a Brigadier General in the New Jersey National Guard. Doyle is Superintendent of the New Jersey Memorial Home for Disabled Soldiers, Sailors, Marines, and their Wives and Widows at Vineland, New Jersey. There is no derogatory information in Bufiles concerning Doyle and the criminal files of the Identification Division contain no record on him. Doyle is a great admirer of the Director and the Bureau and is personally known to Mr. DeLoach. In September, 1968, shortly after his election, he made an official visit to the Far East and our Legats were of great assistance to him. REC 17 94-1-17958- 1908 The American Legion, during the calendar year 1968-69, is celebrating its 50th Anniversary and the Director is a member of the 50th Anniversary Prestige Committee along with other notables. The 50th Anniversary Medallion, one of which Doyle wants to present to the Director, was struck to commemorate the 50th Anniversary and only a very few of these Medallions have been cast. **2** MAY 21 1969

The Director was originally scheduled to see Gommander Doyle at 10:15 a.m. on October 21, 1968. However, due to the Director's absence from the office, this meeting was cancelled.

1 - Mr. DeLoach

1 - Miss Gandy

1 - Mr. Bishop * 1 - Miss Holmes

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9 MAY 22 1969

TO

M. A. Jones to Bishop memo RE: WILLIAM C. DOYLE

RECOMMENDATIONS:

1.) That the Director indicate a time convenient to him on May 12th or 13th, next, when he can see Commander Doyle if his busy schedule will permit. Mr. De Löach will accompany Commander Doyle to the Director's Office. He will also probably be accompanied by William F. Hauck, National Adjutant, whom the Director has met many times in the past.

at 10 a.m. may 12. M. M.

2.) That this memorandum be returned to Mr. DeLoach's office so that Commander Doyle can be appropriately advised through the Washington Office of The American Legion.

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5010-106 MAY 1962 EDITION GSA GEN, REG, NO. 27 UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT 1-Mr. DeLoach lemorandum 1-Mr. Bishop 1-Mr. M. A. Jones 1-Mr. D.G. Hanning : MR. TOLSON TO 5/13/69 Sullivan . C. D. DE LOACH The SUBJECT: WILLIAM C NATIONAL COMMANDER THE AMERICAN LEGION National APPOINTMENT-WITH-THE DIRECTOR 10:00 A. M., MAY 12, 1969 The Director saw National Commander William C. Doyle at 10:00 a.m., May 12, 1969. Accompanying Mr. Doyle was James C. Watkins, Staff Director, National Public Relations Commission, The American Legion. I introduced Commander Doyle and Mr. Watkins to the Director. D.C. The Director and Commander Doyle both indicated mutual expressions of appreciation regarding cooperation extended between the FBI and The American Legion. There followed a brief discussion concerning Students for a Democratic Society. The Director indicated his appreciation for the Legion's interest in exposing the activities of this Society in The American Legion Firing Line." Commander Doyle indicated that a great deal of the information contained therein came from the Director's Appropriations Hearing testimony, the Director's speeches, articles, etc. commander Doyle presented the Director with a 50th Anniversary Medallion of The American Legion, as well as a special lighter, cuff links, tie bar and pin. He indicated that the 50th Anniversary Medallion had been given to only a very few of the top people in Government and was a very special commemorative medallion cast especially for the 50th Anniversary of The American Legion.

A photograph was taken of the presentation of the Medallion.

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Mrs. Arthur B. Hanell

National President

American Legion Auxiliary

1608 K Street, N. W.

Washington, D. C. 20006

Dear Mrs. Hanell:

I have received your letter of July 19th with enclosure, concerning the forthcoming activities of Girls Nation.

It is a pleasure to make available the enclosed data regarding the $\mathbf{FBI}_{\underline{\nu}}$ which I trust will be of assistance to you.

Sincerely yours,

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MAILED 23 JUL 25 1969

COMM-FBI

J. Edgar Hoover

Enclosures (4)

"FBI 1970 Appropriation"

"The Story of the FBI"

"Press Release, dated 7/15/69"

"99 Facts About the FBI"

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NOTE: Bufiles reflect no record identifiable with correspondent. Our files reflect that Girls Nation is sponsored each year by the American Legion Auxiliary. Prior to 1968 the girl chosen to serve as the Director of the FBI has been afforded a tour of the Bureau. In 1968 and this year a request for information only was made, but it was indicated that a greeting would be sent to the Director from 1969 Girls Nation.

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July 19, 1969 -

Mr. DeLoach
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Mr. Conrad
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Mr. Gale
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Mr. Tolson.

The Honorable J. Edgar Hoover, Director Federal Bureau of Investigation Constitution Avenue, N. W. Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

To those of us in the American Legion Auxiliary, the word "summer" first brings to mind Girls State" and Girls Nation". Girls Nation, our annual youth citizenship training course in the processes of Federal Government, will be held at American University, July 27 to August 2, 1969.

These 100 high school juniors will convene as a miniature U. S. Senate (with two "Senators" for each of the 50 Girls State sessions which have given 18,500 girls practice in the processes of state and local government earlier this summer). Each brings to Girls Nation the party affiliation which she held at Girls State ("Nationalist" or "Federalist"). Thus, after they have mastered the procedures of the Senate, they will hold Party Conventions, campaigns and an election, and the winning party will, form an administration in which there will be an office comparable to yours.

In former years, we have asked officials of the Federal Government to receive their young counterparts with an actual office appointment. Last year we experimented with a different idea which we are repeating this summer: The girls will remain on campus and each Girls Nation official will have actual duties to perform which will tie in as much as possible with the position she holds. Therefore, could you assist us by sending to me any material which is available in printed or booklet form which would help your protegee in reaching a full understanding of the duties and responsibilities of your office.

While you will not be meeting your counterpart personally, I do want to alert you to the fact that before she leaves Washington, she may be mailing a greeting from 1969 Girls Nation to you.

We shall be most grateful to you for any material which you can forward to us, and we shall certainly see that it is delivered to your young counterpart just as soon as she is elected or appointed.

Sincerely yours,

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MRS. ARTHUR B. HANELL MY JUL 29 1969 National President

Enclosure: Girls Nation Fact Sheet

BIRTHDATE OF AMERICAN LEGION AUXILIARY-NOVEMBER 1

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NEWS RELEASE from

AMERICAN LEGION AUXILIARY

NATIONAL HEADQUARTERS 777 NORTH MERIDIAN STREET INDIANAPOLIS, INDIANA 46204 TELEPHONE: 635-8411



WASHINGTON BRANCH 1608 K STREET, N.W. WASHINGTON, D.C. 20006 TELEPHONE: 393-4811

FOR RELEASE:

IMMEDIATE (for background information)

GIRLS STATE AND GIRLS NATION

Girls State, culminated by Girls Nation, is the youth citizenship training program conducted annually by the American Legion Auxiliary to give high school juniors practical experience in the processes of government and thus a clear understanding of their approaching citizenship responsibilities.

GIRLS STATE SESSION, sponsored by 52 state and territorial Departments of the American Legion Auxiliary, are held each June or July in state capitals or on centrally located campuses in each of the 50 states, the District of Columbia and the Canal Zone. There, high school juniors chosen with the aid of their school principals for qualities of leadership set up their own miniature city, county and state government and learn to administer them according to the rules and procedures set by actual state and local law. They learn by "doing" it.

From Girls State, two Senators are selected to represent their constituents at GIRLS NATION, sponsored in the Nation's Capital in July by the national organization of the American Legion Auxiliary.

1969 GIRLS NATION will be held at American University, July 27th to August 2nd

GIRLS NATION in its first three days, will organize political parties, the "Nationalists" and the "Federalists" (with the aid of practical advice from representatives of both the Democratic and Republican National Committees), hold national conventions for the nomination of candidates, climax campaigns with a "national election" and install the winners in office.

From this point on, Girls Nation moves in a dual role: As a Senate, which meets to enact legislation, and also as a government administration, complete with elected and appointed officials. Girls Nation will then visit the White House and learn first-hand how the federal government functions through briefing sessions on Capitol Hill and at various Government Departments, including those of State and Defense.

Next fall, when the girls return to high school as seniors, they will report to their classmates (as well as to local civic, church and fraternal clubs) on what they have experienced and learned as delegates to GIRLS STATE and to GIRLS NATION. By summer's end, the American Legion Auxiliary thus will have added 17,000 to 364,000 girls so far trained as knowledgeable and experienced citizens through this program.

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b7C 3-14-09 cirtel Legat, Toligo HAWAII UISTNAM From: Eirector. IEI J. MILIZENPATITICK HET MATIONAL COMMANDED THE STREET AND LINGUISM M information concerning Mr. J. Milion Pairick of Chictools, Ottobans, will be elected to all Confidence of The Assertant Confidence, will be elected the new National Confession of The American Legion during the Legion's Convertion later this porth in Atlanta, Georgia. Chartly after his election, he is pleasing to depart on a July to visit U.S. forces in the For East. He will be accompanied by Mr. Hollis T. Avoidant Exceptive Tirestor of Tho American Legion's Milional Teadquarters in Indianapolis; Lie, Progion J. Mee, past lational Commencer of The American Legion; and close personal Irland of Commencer Patrick and a member of The American Legion's National Convention Commission. Cabsequent to their visit to the Fer Last, Mosors, Patrick, juill be joined by and L their wives in Recolulr. Her. Hall plane to inimediately return to the States. I am enclosing a detailed itinorary which esta forth details of their trip, including times of arrival and departure, flight numbers, and hold reservations Af W Legato, Tokyo and Hong Kong should arrange to meet -Commander Patrick and his party approprietal and extend courtesies to them. You should also essiet them on departure from your territory. UAC, Complete 14016 The list to meet Commencer Febrick and Ma party won arrival in Localities, O persento -A egat, Long Long - Inclosure B AUG 15 196 AC, Uniles - Enclosuro - IAC, Longida - Enclosuro UAC, Con Francisco - Enclosure DeLoach TBGgms/nls (14) Mohr Bishop Casper. Callahan Conrad . Sullivan 56 AUG 26 MAIL ROOM TELETYPE UNIT

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extend courtesies to the party, and assist them on their departure from Hawaii. SAC, San Francisco, should plan to meet Commander Patrick on his arrival in San Francisco on September 7, 1969, assist him in his departure, and also meet him and his party upon their return to the States on September 27, 1969. Courtesies should be extended. SAC, Dallas, should plan to meet upon her arrival in Dallas and assist her in her departure for Honolulu.

Advise the Bureau of any changes in itinerary that may come to your attention during Commander Patrick's trip.

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Flight Schedule - Far East Trip Page three

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AA - American Airlines

TT - Trans International Airlines, Inc.

TW - Trans World Airlines

JL - Japan Airlines

NW - Northwest Airlines

ML - Malaysian Airways

CX - Cathay Pacific

VN - Air Vietnam

PR - Philippine Airlines

PA - Pan Am

UA - United Airlines

FL - Frontier Airlines

BN - Braniff International Airlines

August 26, 1969

Mr. Frank C. Jensen

Miami, Florida 33143

Dear Mr. Jensen:

In reply to your letter of August 19th, it is a pleasure to enclose some material which I hope will be of assistance in connection with your American Legion program. Additional copies of these publications are available in limited quantities and, if you desire them, please do not hesitate to let me know.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

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Enclosures (4) Respect For Law And Order 6/69 LEB Introd 7/69 LEB Introd Civic Organizations/Partners of Law Enforcement

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MEETING - 1st AND 3rd WEDNESDAY

August 19, 1969

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover, Director Federal Bureau of Investigation Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:

Please send me any information that you may have which you consider important to assist me in informing my Post and community on matters pertaining to the welfare and freedom of our country.

Please send to the address given below. Thank you.

Very truly yours

Frank C. Jenson

Chairman

Americanism Committee

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Miami, Florida 33143

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September 2, 1969

Honorable J. MiltomPatrick c/o The Exchange Bank Skiatook, Oklahoma 74070

Dear Mr. Patrick:

I want to take this opportunity to extend to you my heartiest congratulations on your election as National Commander of The American Legion for the year 1969-70.

Members of The American Legion can take great pride in having men of your stature active in this fine organization. I would like to express my gratitude for the confidence which The American Legion has expressed in me over the years and for the strong stands which it has taken against the insidious menace of communism and in favor of the need for law and order in our society.

Please do not hesitate to call upon me in the event I can be of any assistance to you during your tenure of office. My associates join me in extending to you every wish for a most successful year.

MAILED 24 SEP2 - 1969 COMM-FBI

Sincerely yours,



J. Edgar Hoover

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Gale Rosen NOTE: See DeLoach to Tolson memo dated 8/29/69, captioned: "The American Legion National Convention, Atlanta, Georgia, August 21-28, 1969."

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Bureau files indicate that on May 12, 1969, Mr. Doyle presented the Director an American Legion 50th Anniver by Medallion. The photograph taken at time appeared in allahan the August, 1969, issue of "The Investigator" Conrad... and Mr. Doyle was sent a copy. Mr. Felt. Mr. Gale. THE NATIONAL COMMANDER Mr. Rosen... INDIANAPOLIS Mr. Sullivan. Mr. Tavel. Mr. Trotter. Tele. Room ... Miss Holmes. Horistan Lacion Miss Gandy-August 13, 1969 The Honorable J. Edgar Hoover Director Federal Bureau of Investigation Emerican Legion national United States Department of Justice Washington, D. C. 20535 Dear Mr. Hoover: Thank you for your letter of August 11, 1969 and for your thoughtfulness in sending me a copy of the August 1969 issue of "The Investigator." I appreciate having this further remembrance of my very pleasant visit with you. With warm regards and my very best wishes. Sincerely yours, ST-106 WILLIAM C/DOYLE 118 SEP 2 1969

OPTIONAL FORM NO. 10 MAY 1962 EDITION G\$A GEN, REG, NO. 27 UNITED STATES GOV *lemorandum* : Mr. Tolson 1/10 TO DATE: 8/29/69 THE AMERICAN LEGION NATIONAL CONVENTION ATLANTA, GEORGIA C. D. De Loach **FROM** SUBJECT: ATLANTA, GEORGIA AUGUST 21-28, 1969 NATIONAL PUBLIC RELATIONS COMMISSION: Speakers: Louis C. Harris, Vice President, Southeastern Newspaper Corporation and Executive Editor of the Augusta Herald Journal, Raymond McHugh, Vice President and Washington Bureau Chief, Copley News Service, Manager, Library Services, Cowles Publishing Company, Inc., Ed Mason, Public Service Director, The Columbus Dispatch, Congressman W. S. "Bill" Stuckey (D-Georgia) and Congressman John J. Flynt, Jr. (D - Georgia). Congressman Flynt during the course of his remarks paid high tribute to the Director and his appearances before the Subcommittee on Appropriations, (he is a member of the Subcommittee which handles our appropriations and requested to appear before my commission in order to get some "exposure" in his home state). The Legion's Public Relations program for 1969-70 was well within the budget and all projects were handled satisfactorily. We achieved above average results in the handling of press, radio and television during the Convention, and my Committee worked "around the clock" to achieve these results. Approximately 34 members of the Public Relations Commission consisting of newspaper, television, radio and other personalities in industry were in attendance, and all were assigned specific duties. The Fourth Estate Award was given to George W. Healy, Jr., of The Times-Picayune Publishing Corporation and Ray McHugh of Copley Press. Both were aware of the fact that the Bureau was largely responsible for their receiving this award and they were most grateful. RESOLUTIONS: Thirteen resolutions concerning the Director and the Bureau were consolidated into two strong ones. They were passed unanimously. One resolution commends the Director and the Bureau for our fight against organized crime and resolves that The American Legion "does hereby commend Mr. Hoover and the FBI for outstanding service to the law enforcement profession and to the American people by exposing and battling the cancerous growth of crime which is so common in our midst today." Enclosures (9) dt d'B = 94-1-17998-1981 1 - T. B. Coll CONTINUED OVER 1 - Mr. Bishop 1 - Mr. 1 - M. A. Jones 4 1969

C. D. DeLoach'to Mr., Tolson memoo RE: THE AMERICAN LEGION NATIONAL CONVENTION

The second resolution commends the Bureau for its excellent work in the intelligence field against foreign and domestic subversives and resolves that the Legion "unanimously commends the Federal Bureau of Investigation for its outstanding accomplishments, and its leader, J. Edgar Hoover, for his superlative leadership." This resolution further resolves that The American Legion "supports the Federal Bureau of Investigation in all its endeavors and urges that J. Edgar Hoover be retained as its leader." Letters attaching copies of these resolutions are being sent by the Legion to the Director, the Attorney General, the President, and Congressman Rooney, Chairman of our Appropriations Subcommittee, (copies of resolutions attached).

Eleven resolutions condemning campus disorders were consolidated into one strong resolution. The Legion's previous strong stand against Students for a Democratic Society was reiterated. Other resolutions condemned the American Civil Liberties Union, the Black Panthers, and decisions of the Supreme Court with regard to school prayer. A number of resolutions dealing with various aspects of law enforcement and law and order were considered and all endorsed the work of various law enforcement agencies and urged continued support of them.

NEW NATIONAL COMMANDER:

J. Milton Patrick of Skiatook, Oklahoma, was unanimously elected as the new National Commander for the Legion year 1969-70. Patrick is a banker and is personally known to me. He is a great admirer of the Director and the Bureau and is very interested in law and order. There is no derogatory information concerning him in Bureau files and a letter of congratulations over the Director's signature is attached.

MISCELLANEOUS:

Secretary of Defense Melvin Laird was the keynote speaker at the opening session of the convention proper on August 26th. He gave a strong speech denouncing the arms cut and warned that any further cuts would seriously imperil our own defenses as well as our commitments abroad. He was very well received.

Pat O'Brien, the movie actor was the speaker for the National Commander's banquet.

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C. D. DeLoach to Mr. Tolson memo RE: THE AMERICAN LEGION NATIONAL CONVENTION

Colonel Frank Borman, the astronaut, spoke before the Convention at the closing session August 28th.

Other speakers of note, and distinguished guests included George Meany, General John D. Ryan, Chief of Staff, U. S. Air Force, W. P. Gullander, President, National Association of Manufacturers, General Hershey and many others.

I spent considerable time with the SAC and ASAC. In addition I saw to it that all Agents and clerical personnel received passes for the parade, drum and bugle contest and other public events.

RECOMMENDATIONS:

(1) That the attached letter be approved to incoming Commander J. Milton Patrick. He should be added to the Special Correspondents List.

(2) That the attached letter be sent to Congressman Flynt thanking him for his kind remarks.

(3) SAC Frank V. Hitt and SAs and morked tirelessly during the Convention assisting me incluties and handling dignitaries. It is suggested they be commended by the Director. (Letters attached)

(4) SAs Coll and Hanning, who accompanied me and assisted me in a myriad of duties, handled all their assignments in an outstanding manner. They worked long and arduous hours throughout the entire Convention. It is recommended that they be commended. (Letters attached)

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1 - Mr. Bowers

FROM DIRECTOR FBI

J. MILTON PATRICK, NATIONAL COMMANDER, THE AMERICAN

LEGION. INFORMATION CONCERNING.

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Legat, Tokyo (80-54) (RUC)

Attn: Mr. Cartha D. DeLoach
Assistant to the Director

SUBJECT:

J. MILTON PATRICK
NEW NATIONAL COMMANDER
THE AMERICAN LEGION - VOICE
INFORMATION CONCERNING

Mr. Patrick and his party were met by Legat 9/8/69 on arrival in Japan and assisted by Legat upon departure on 9/11/69. Appropriate bouquet was placed in his hotel room as a joint token from Mr. DeLoach and Legat. He was extremely appreciative of the courtesies extended, and declined to accept further assistance in view of availability of a U.S. military escort officer to the party during their entire stay. Both Mr. Patrick and his associates were most enthusiastic in their expressions of personal esteem for the Director and their desire to render all possible co-operation to the Bureau.

Enclosed for interest of the Bureau are original and one copy of a clipping concerning Mr. Patrick from the "Pacific Stars & Stripes", Tokyo, 9/11/69.

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Viet GI Benefits Get Legion Push

By JO1 JIM LEA

TOKYO—The new national commander of the American Legion said here Tuesday that the Vietnam veteran has not been forgotten and he plans to devote his time and energy to programs to aid men returning from Southeast Asia combat.

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"We are proud of these men," said J. Milton Patrick, who arrived here Monday might on the first leg of a 15-day

who arrived here Monday,mig tour of U.S. military bases in Jan pan, Okinawa, the Republic of Korea, Taiwan, the Philippines, and the Republic of Vietnam. "We're just as proud of them as we are of World War I and II veterans.

"The Vietnam veteran has been neglected because this is such an unpopular war. We in the Legion recognize him as being just as patriotic as the veterans of World Wars I and II and we're going to do all we can to show that we appreciate the part he's played in the fight for freedom."

Part of that support includes lobbying for improved veterans' benefits and making sure the man returning from Vietnam knows what his benefits are, he said.

He said educating veterans concerning their rights would be accomplished at the community post (chapter) level.

In other veterans' affairs matters, Patrick said the Legion will spearhead drives to have mustering out pay given to Vietnam War vets as it was to men returning from World War II; and Korea.

"We hope to see them get at \$500 cash immediately to eathem readjust to commu-

sife.

"We also want to see that more help is provided in secur, ing housing loans for yeterans, and we passed a resolution at our recent national convention in Atlanta to have payments to paraplegics raised, from the present \$10,000 to \$15,000."

In civic matters in the United States, Patrick, a veteran of the war in Europe who was elected national commander Aug. 28 in Atlanta, Ga., said the Legion, "will actively solicit the aid and cooperation of other community organizations, to find ways and means of combating the ten major problems confronting Americans

cans today."

He listed those problems as the crisis in the education system — which, he said, is the most pressing; poverty; race relations; national defense; the trend toward "anarchy" in America; the need for improved law enforcement and "prompt, even-handed justice;" pollution of natural resources; inflation; threats to the public safety from a vast and ever-growing technology which may outstrip man's ability to live within it, and the mushrooming growth of cities.

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J. MILTON PATRICK "Proud of these men."

bating these problems," he said.
"We want to enlist the cooperation of all civic organizations to
present a united front to fight
them."

That cooperation, he said, would be an enactment of the Legion's new theme: "U.S.A.: Unity and Service for America."

Patrick was slated to fly to the Republic of Korea Wednesday where he hoped to visit troops stationed along the DMZ.

"I think Americans are more or less prone to forget Korea due to the conflict in Vietnam and I want to let these men know that we are as proud of them for their part in defending the freedom we enjoy as we are of the boys in Vietnam," he

days in Vietnam, where his son, PFC. David B. Patrick, is assigned to the 4th Inf. Div.

"I'll be looking into the problems of the fighting men; checking on their food and living conditions," he said. "I also plan to make inquiries into the M16 rifle controversy while there."

The Department of Defense temporarily refused to accept the rifles from the manufacturer recently on grounds the weapon was defective.

Patrick will leave Japan Thursday for a one-day trip to Okinawa to visit the Legion's third largest post.

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I have received a communication from Mr. Layton K. Hurst, Program Coordinator, American Legion Auxiliary, requesting that I forward to you a message to Mrs. H. Milton Davidson, National President of the American Legion Auxiliary, to be included in a booklet commemorating the 50th Birthday of the Auxiliary.

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In accordance with his request, enclosed is my letter to Mrs. Davidson.

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November 10, 1969

Mrs. H. Milton Davidson
National President
American Legion Auxiliary
777 North Meridian Street
Indianapolis, Indiana

Dear Mrs. Davidson:

It is indeed a pleasure to extend my best wishes to the American Legion Auxiliary on the occasion of its 50th Birthday.

Today we Americans are faced with challenges which are unparalleled in the history of our Nation. There are those in our country who decry patriotism and claim the credos of Christianity and liberty are meaningless phrases. Never has adherence to these principles been more important than at the present time. Those who advocate anarchy and a new morality are, in truth, stating nothing new but are unwilling to accept the discipline and responsibility which are precepts of an orderly society.

We must not let apathy or indifference destroy the birthright which is ours. It is absolutely vital that we as individuals and as
commenciate reaffirm our faith in the tenets that have made this country
great and demonstrate by positive example the superiority of the American way of life over all others.

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Hon. J. Edgar Hoover Director Federal Bureau of Investigation Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

On November 10, 1969, the American Legion Auxiliary will officially celebrate its 50th birthday in Minneapolis, Minnesota. It was on this date in 1919, and in that city, that The American Legion, in National Convention assembled, authorized an Auxiliary to The American Legion.

Since that time, the American Legion Auxiliary has worked side by side with The American Legion in its every endeavor, both in times of war and in times of peace

A special 50th birthday commemorative <u>booklet</u> is being assembled to commemorate this anniversary, and we are wondering if you would be kind enough to supply a message to be included. If so, would you please write it in letter form addressed to:

Mrs. H. Milton Devidson
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American Legion Auxiliary 771 Houth MERIDAN St.
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However, this should be mailed to:

Des Moines, Iowa 50333

This message should reach no later than September 26, in order to be included in the commemorative booklet. In addition to your message being included in this booklet, the original letter would also be placed in a history cover and presented to Mrs. Davidson at the meeting in Minneapolisa.

We do hope you will favor us with such a message. Thank you!

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LAYTON K. HURST

Program Coordinator

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PROGRAM

From its inception the Auxiliary was concerned with furthering The American Legion's great program of service. Although often working on projects of its own, the Auxiliary has no program apart from the aims of the Legion. All of its services are by volunteers with the exception of a small headquarters staff who work under the supervision of the National Secretary and National Treasurer in Indianapolis, Indiana and Washington, D. C.

Its strong appeal to members seems to be the opportunity for service it affords (its unofficial motto is "Service, not Self") and the effectiveness of this service draws strength from the fact that it activates the same national programs in every part of the country and every level of operation.

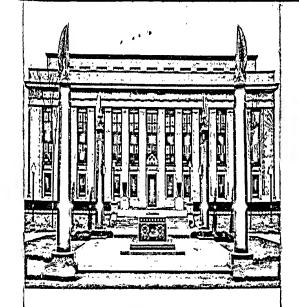
Service to the community, state and nation is promoted through more than 20 national programs, each of which is guided by a National Committee appointed by the National President. Eight of these either are primarily concerned with internal affairs or charged with the promotion of special projects.

These include the National Advisory, Communications, Constitution and ByLaws, Finance, Leadership Training, Liaison with Child Welfare, Past Presidents Parley, Publications and Women's Forum on National Security Committees.

Those are in addition to the following major activity programs which, while promoted around the year, are given special impetus according to the following:

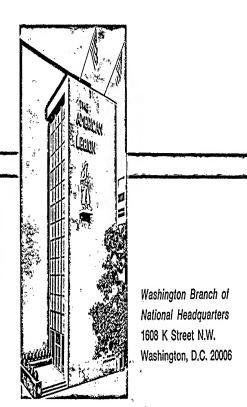


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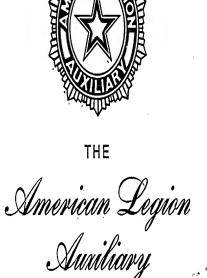


National Headquarters

AMERICAN LEGION AUXILIARY
777 N. Meridian Street
Indianapolis, Indiana 46204



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WHO · WHAT · WHEN · WHERE · WHY · HOW

The American Legion Auxiliary is, first and fore-most and as its name suggests, the "Aide" to The American Legion. But it is separately administered and from its membership of more than 900,000 and its effectiveness in those programs of historic interest to women it has concurrently achieved its own unique but not incompatible identity as the largest women's patriotic organization in the world, and in world history.

Its membership is composed of (1) mothers, wives, sisters and daughters of (a) members of The American Legion, or of (b) men or women who died while serving in World Wars I or II, the Korean War, or the Hostilities in Vietnam, or of (c) veterans of one of these wars who has died since honorable discharge from war service, or (2) women who are, themselves, veterans of those wars.

These are organized into over 13,000 local groups, called "Units", throughout the United States and its territorial possessions and in six foreign countries.

MOTIVATION

For almost every man who served in World War I, there was a woman at home in support of his endeavors. These women realized the need for dedicating themselves to peacetime service as they had to wartime emergencies. They wished to help their men uphold the ideals for which they had fought. These were the underlying ideals of the American Legion Auxiliary.

BIRTH OF THE ORGANIZATION

It came into being in three simple steps on these historic dates:

- NOVEMBER 10-12, 1919: An act of the First National Convention of The American Legion in Minneapolis, Minnesota, established the American Legion Auxiliary.
- (2) SEPTEMBER 27-29, 1920: The American Legion, in its Second National Convention in Cleveland, Ohio, officially authorized the nationwide organization of its Auxiliary.
- (3) NOVEMBER 1-2, 1921: The First National Convention of the American Legion Auxiliary was held in Kansas City, Missouri, by 335 delegates representing an original membership of 131,000 women for the purposes of forming a national organization, adopting a national constitution and electing officers for the ensuing year.

Thus while the Auxiliary's inception, and its formation at the local level, dates from the same calendar year as does The American Legion, it has held two National Conventions fewer than its parent organization. For example, 1968 in Legion history was the 50th Annual National Convention of The American Legion and it was the 48th Annual National Convention of the American Legion Auxiliary.



COLOR CODE

The organizational colors of the American Legion Auxiliary are the same as those of The American Legion, blue and gold. The banners of the organization are Red for the national organization, White for the

Departments and Blue for the Units.

The American Legion Auxiliary has never officially authorized any uniform for its members.

TABLE OF ORGANIZATION

The American Legion Auxiliary is organized into state or territorial Departments, multi-county Districts, and local Units. It functions, and has the same officers and much the same chairmen, on three levels: National, Department and Unit.

There are 54 Departments (compared to The American Legion's 58) which include one for each state, for the District of Columbia, for the territories of the Panama Canal Zone and Puerto Rico, and for the Philippines. The latter is its only foreign Department but in addition there are individual Units located in Canada, Denmark, France, Germany and Mexico.

The work of the national organization is supervised by these ten National Officers (elected for one year).

National President

National Vice Presidents: (Five, each supervising the work of one of the following Divisions)

Central Division: (9 Departments)	Illinois Indiana Iowa	Kansas Michigan Missouri	Ohio West Virginia Wisconsin
Eastern Division: (12 Departments)	Connecticut Delaware D. C. Maine	Maryland Massachusetts New Hampshire New Jersey	New York Pennsylvania Rhode Island Vermont
Northwestern Div.: (7 Departments)	Colorado Minnesota	Montana Nebraska North Dakota	South Dakota Wyoming
Southern Division: (15 Departments)	Alabama Arkansas Florida Georgia Kentucky	Louisiana Mississippi North Carolina Oklahoma Virginia	Puerto Rico South Carolina Tennessee Texas Panama Canal Zone
Western Division: (11 Departments)	Alaska Arizona California Hawaii	ldaho Nevada New Mexico	Oregon Philippines Utah Washington

National Historian • National Chaplain

ADMINISTRATIVE YEAR

The work of the organization moves through the course of an administrative year that extends from its National Convention (dates and place determined by that of The American Legion, but usually in late August) to the succeeding Convention. Department (State) Conventions may be held from late May to early August. The administration of local Units may change as early as in May so that the current objectives of any administrative year must be (and incredibly are) achieved in the from six to eight months between their announcement and implementation until the time that annual reports are compiled. Annual Meetings include:

NATIONAL CONVENTION: (dates and place determined by that of The American Legion)

ANNUAL CONFERENCE OF DEPARTMENT PRESIDENTS AND SECRETARIES: (In the Fall) at National Headquarters in Indianapolis, Indiana.

AREA CHILD WELFARE AND REHABILITATION CONFERENCES: (Five of these twoday seminars for delegates from several Departments are held from November to January
annually, their sites rotating within the states
involved.) The two-day Child Welfare Conference normally follows the Rehabilitation Conference and is held in conjunction with that
planned by The American Legion.

WOMEN'S FORUM ON NATIONAL SECU-RITY: (Three-day February meeting held annually in the nation's capital with delegates from 17 national women's patriotic organizations, founded by the American Legion Auxiliary and chaired by it on alternate years.) Attendance at all Forum sessions is open to all Auxiliary members.

NATIONAL EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETINGS: Annual half-day meetings just prior and immediately following the National Convention, and a two day "mid-year" meeting in Washington, D. C., either prior to, or following, the Women's Forum.

GIRLS NATION: A six day exercise in the processes of federal government (usually held the last week in July in the nation's capital for 100 delegates from 50 Girls State sessions held previously).

NATIONAL NEWS

The American Legion Auxiliary publishes, in Indianapolis, Indiana, a monthly magazine entitled "National News of the American Legion Auxiliary", which goes to every Senior member of the organization (every month except July).



94-1-17998 - REC 16 1914 September 26, 1969

Commander C. E. Thompson, Jr. Department Commander
Department of North Carolina
The American Legion
2858 Carolina Beach Road
Wilmington, North Carolina 28401

Dear Commander Thompson:

I have received your letter of September 19th and the resume of resolutions passed at the 51st Annual American Legion Convention in Atlanta. It was very thoughtful of you to send this to me and the Legion's staunch support of law and order is very reassuring to my associates and me.

Sincerely yours, J. Edgar Hoover

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NOTE: Mr. Thompson is a graduate in good standing of the 70th Session of the FBI National Academy (August - October, 1962).

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OFFICE OF: C. E. "Bud" Thompson, Jr.

September 19, 1969

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover, Director Federal Bureau of Investigation Justice Building Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

Attached please find a resume of resolutions pertaining to law and order which were passed at the 51st Annual American Legion Convention in Atlanta, Georgia, during August of this year.

The American Legion, Department of North Carolina, strongly supports our beloved Governor Robert Scott and his capable Attorney General Robert Morgan. These men are a living example of the preamble of The American Legion. They have certainly proved themselves by their actions and deeds. Under their leadership we feel that our state will continue to grow, that justice will prevail for all of our citizens. Law and Order is a must; we cannot allow minority groups of activists to continue to disrupt our American way of life.

The communists are at work through organizations using various titles; their purpose is to overthrow our government, to confuse the people, to discredit our police, to take control of our schools. citizens, of all races, must unite together for that more noble contention, or rather emulation, of who can best work and best agree.

The American Legion believes, as our departed United States President Theodore Roosevelt, that "No man is above the law and no man is below it; nor do we ask any man's permission when we require him to obey it."

Yours for God and Country.

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Sincerely,

C. E. Thompson, Jr.

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OFFICE OF: C. E. "Bud" Thompson, Jr.

COMMANDER'S MESSAGE

At the outset of this message I am happy to report that eight resolutions, all dealing with various aspects of law and order, were approved by our National American Legion Convention in Atlanta, Georgia, this past August.

They pertained to Disorders in Schools, Colleges, and Universities; Support of Law Inforcement Officers and Organizations; The Establishment of Law and Order; and Recognition and Commendation of Student Organizations Dedicated to Oppose and Control Unlawful Interference with the Educational Process of our Nation.

We, as Legionnaires, fully realize the freedom of this nation depends largely upon an enlightened citizenship. Our tax supported schools, colleges and universities are the backbone of our educational processes; these along with our private scholastic institutions have given the youth of our nation an opportunity to obtain an education. We, as Americans, desire to fulfill our obligation to educate our children and prepare them to achieve their rights and fulfill their obligations as future leaders of our country.

We are aware that a small minority of students are causing disruption within our high schools, colleges, and universities; they are imperiling the peaceful pursuit of education by our youth. This small minority which includes the Students for Democratic Society, and other militant and communistic orientated organizations, have forcibly taken over educational buildings. They have destroyed property, seized teachers and administrators, obstructed and physically prevented students from attending classes and disrupted their educational studies.

We, of The American Legion, are certainly in support of freedom of speech and peaceful assembly, but protest and condemn the unlawful use of force and violence, the injury to persons and destruction of property in violation of the rights of others to pursue peaceably their education in our schools, colleges and universities.

Our convention went on record as supporting the adoption of the following administrative policies:

a. Any student who wilfully by force and violence violates the administrative disciplinary rules of an educational institution should be suspended or expelled.

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- b. Any suspended or expelled student should forfeit any federal or state assistance grant in aid or financial assistance during the suspension or expulsion.
- c. In the event the security force of any educational institution is unable to maintain order on its premises, assistance should be promptly requested from the law enforcement agencies of the city, county or state.
- d. Any non-student who participates in any violent unlawful act on the premises of any educational institution should be considered a trespasser and made subject to arrest and prosecution under pertinent criminal laws.

Some segments of our society continue to severely and unfairly criticize the manner in which the police of our nation perform their duties and to create situations which hinder the proper performance of police operations. The members of The American Legion are completely aware that the first line of defense against anarchy, which is fostered by subversive enemies within our country, is the duly constituted and dedicated police authorities, that we reaffirm and make it clearly understood that The American Legion respects and solidly supports the police organizations and individual police officers of our great nation.

We believe that our constitutional form of government cannot long survive in an atmosphere of fear and permissiveness toward those who would violate the basic rights of the person and property of our citizens, or who claim the right to disregard and disrupt duly constituted authority by force or threat. We reiterate and supplement previous mandates to urge immediate implementation and enforcement of all laws according to due process of law, at all levels of federal, state, and local government, and insist upon the prosecution and punishment of all persons who violate the laws of the United States of America and the political subdivisions thereof.

It has been established that the disruption and lawlessness has been instigated and carried out by a minute one to two percent of students who are often motivated in such activities by non-student elements. The vast majority of college students are intent on receiving an education, although they have been subjected to violence and coercion by the minority elements. These students have been denied the right to receive an education. They have accepted such violations of their basic constitutional rights in silence. Within the past few months, there have been positive action taken by the law abiding students. They have asserted their rights to an uninterrupted education by organizing to thwart the efforts of the unlawful minorities seeking to destroy our institutions of higher learning. Our decent and serious students have organized and successfully prevented the radical emements from interfering with the educational process by asserting the lawful will of the majority upon the lawless minority.

We, of The American Legion, recognize and commend the various student organizations who have overcome apathy and joined together in an appropriate

and successful endeavor to re-establish their right to pursue their education without unlawful interference. We urge the college and university officials and administrators to recognize, assist and encourage such student groups to greater participation in the orderly operation of our educational institutions.

As your Department Commander, I urge each Legionnaire to support the mandate of our National Organization. I have attempted to apprise you of information pertaining to resolutions mentioned at the outset of this message. Let's each of us take an active part in making America 100% American again.

Yours for God and Country,

C. E. "Bud" Thompson, Jr. Department Commander

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NAL FORM NO. 10 MAY 1962 EDITION GSA FPMR (41 CFR) 101-11.6 UNITED STATES OVERNMENT emorandum Mr. Conrad. 9/24/69 Mr. Felt. :DIRECTOR, FBI TO Mr. Cale. Mr. Rosen. Mr. Sulliva EGAT, HONG KONG (80-32)(RUC) FROM Mr. Tavel Mr. Trotter. Tele. koom Miss Holmes. SUBJECT: J. MILTON PATRICK Miss Gandy. NEW_NATIONAL COMMANDER THE AMERICAN DEGION National INFORMATION CONCERNING Legat contacted PATRICK on his arrival in Hong Kong and offered to be of whatever assistance needed. Arrangements for PATRICK's Hong Kong visit had previously been made by the Defense Liaison Office, American Consulate General, and they cared for the Commander during most of his stay. Legat introduced PATRICK and his party to close contacts of this office and had them to dinner at his residence. PATRICK indicated a warm regard for the Director and the Bureau and noted a personal friendship with Assistant to the Director, Mr. DeLOACH. Forel 9 (1-Foreign Liaison) 1-Hong Kong DAG: hke (4)13 1969U.S. Savings Bonds Regularly on the Payroll Savings Plan

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UNITED STATES GOVERNME

Memorandum

TO : Mr. Bishop

DATE: 10/2/69

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SUBJECT:

J. MILTOMPATRICK — NATIONAL COMMANDER

THE AMERICAN LEGION - NAT 10 Na

REQUEST TO SEE THE DIRECTOR

MORNING OF MONDAY, OCTOBER 13TH

The Washington office of The American Legion has contacted Mr. DeLoach and advised that Commander Patrick is most anxious to meet briefly with the Director on the morning of Monday, October 13th, next. Commander Patrick just wishes to pay his respects and also to present to the Director two framed resolutions concerning the Director and the FBI which were passed at The American Legion National Convention last August. The Commander is free the entire morning of October 13th, and would like an appointment at the Director's convenience.

INFORMATION REPATRICK:

Patrick was unanimously elected National Commander of The American Legion for the Legion year 1969-70 at the National Convention in Atlanta, Georgia, in August. Patrick, 54 years of age, resides in Skiatook, Oklahoma, and is President of The Exchange Bank in Skiatook. He has been very active in civic and church activities in his hometown. Patrick is a World War II veteran who was wounded in action and spent many months in a hospital. He is married and the father of three children. One of his two sons is serving with the Armed Forces in Vietnam.

Patrick is well known to Mr. DeLoach and is an ardent admirer of the Director and the Bureau. There is no pertinent or derogatory information in Bufiles concerning him. Shortly after his election, Patrick made an inspection trip to the Far East, and our offices and Legal Attaches were of great assistance to him and he was most appreciative.

There is no information in the files of the Director's Office and the files of the Identification Division failed to reflect any arrest record. Patrick has never met the Director nor has he ever been the recipient of an autographed photograph or book: REC-59'94-1-1798-1016

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RECOMMENDATIONS - OVER

M. A. Jones to Bishop memo RE: J. MILTON PATRICK

RECOMMENDATIONS:

1.) That the Director indicate a time on the morning of Monday, October 13th when he will be able to see Commander Patrick.

2.) That this memorandum be returned to Mr. DeLoach's office so that Commander Patrick can be appropriately advised of the Director's decision.

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Office advised.

October 13, 1969

Honorable J. Milton/Patrick National Commander The American Legion P. O. Box 1055 Indianapolis, Indiana 46206 My dear Commander

It was indeed a pleasure to see you and the other gentlemen this morning and to receive the framed resolutions No. 400 and No. 458. I certainly want to thank you and through you all the members of the American Legion for your kindness and thoughtfulness in honoring the Bureau and myself in this manner. Your actions in adopting these resolutions is deeply appreciated, as is the support your organization has given us throughout the years.

As a memento of the occasion, a copy of the photograph taken this morning is being sent to you under separate cover.

Sincerely,

J. EDGAR HOUVER

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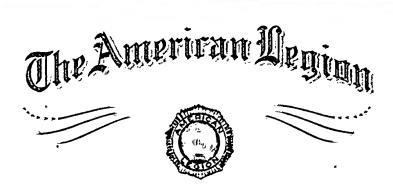
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Resolution 20. 400

CONVENTION COMMITTEE ON AMERICANISM

SUBJECT: Commending The Federal Bureau of Investigation and its Director, J. Edgar
Hoover, for the Leadership and Direction Given to Programs of Law and
Order

WHEREAS, J. Edgar Hoover, the distinguished Director of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, has dedicated his entire life to the law enforcement profession and to the cause of liberty and decency and justice; and

WHEREAS, The Federal Bureau of Investigation, under the leadership of Mr. Hoover, has waged a relentless campaign not only to combat all forms of lawlessness, but also to alert the American people to the heavy toll which the forces of crime—particularly those of organized crime and racketeering—exact from our economy and our people; and

WHEREAS, The Federal Bureau of Investigation has compiled a record of outstanding accomplishments against the predatory forces of organized crime and racketeering as exemplified, during the recently completed 1969 fiscal year, by the more than 300 Federal convictions of key gambling, racketeering and vice figures in FBI cases as well as by the arrest of some 4,300 additional offenders by other law enforcement agencies as a result of criminal intelligence information uncovered and disseminated by the FBI, now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, By The American Legion in National Convention assembled in Atlanta, Georgia, August 26, 27, 28, 1969, that The American Legion does hereby commend Mr. Hoover and the FBI for outstanding service to the law enforcement profession and to the American people by exposing and battling the cancerous growth of crime which is so common in our midst today; and, be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this resolution be forwarded to Mr. Hoover, the Attorney General, the President, and the Honorable John Rooney, Chairman of the Appropriations Subcommittee handling FBI Appropriations.







Resolution No. 458

CONVENTION COMMITTEE ON AMERICANISM

SUBJECT: Commending The Federal Bureau of Investigation and its Director, J. Edgar Hoover

WHEREAS, The free and open nature of the society of our Nation long has made us a prime target for intelligence agents of foreign powers seeking to obtain and convert our procedures for their own benefit in line with their imperialistic objectives, particularly those of Communist-ruled countries; and

WHEREAS, They often are aided and abetted by subversive elements from within seeking to undermine our Government and to destroy the democratic process established by our forefathers at great sacrifice and through much hardship; and

WHEREAS, The Federal Bureau of Investigation for years has demonstrated a unique and unusual capacity to cope successfully with espionage and intelligence agents of foreign powers, and an equal capacity to negate and nullify the efforts of those who would undermine us from within; and

· WHEREAS, This demonstrated technical skill on the part of the Federal Bureau of Investigation is directly attributable to the policies established by J. Edgar Hoover, now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, By The American Legion in National Convention assembled in Atlanta, Georgia, August 26, 27, 28, 1969, that this National Convention of The American Legion, which so greatly values and respects love of country and service to it, unanimously commends the Federal Bureau of Investigation for its outstanding accomplishments and its leader, J. Edgar Hoover, for his superlative leadership; and, be it further

RESOLVED, That The American Legion support the Federal Bureau of Investigation in all its endeavors and urge that J. Edgar Hoover be retained as its leader.

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TO

DIRECTOR, FBI

DATE:

10/15/69

FROM

DALLAS (80-930) (P)

SUBJECT:

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J. MILTON PATRICK NEW NATIONAL COMMANDER. THE AMERICAN LEGION. INFORMATION CONCERNING

Re Bureau airtel to Dallas dated 8/14/69.

This is to advise that Mrs. J. MILTON PATRICK and. were met in Dallas, Texas, 9/20/69, in accordance with Bureau instructions. canceled her trip and did not accompany and

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Mr. William F. Hauck National Adjutant The American Legion 1608 K Street, Northwest Washington, D. C. 20006

Dear Mr. Hauck:

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Mr. DeLoach has shown me a copy of your letter of October 17th to the Awards Department of the Freedoms Foundation at Valley Forge and I want to express my appreciation to you for recommending that my book, "J. Edgar Hoover on Communism," be honored.

It means a great deal to know that you regard my book so highly and the support given this Bureau by The American Legion is a source of encouragement. Thank you again for your kindness.

Sincerely yours,

MAILED 22 OCT 23 1969

COMM-FBI

J. Edgar Hoover

NOTE: Mr. Hauck is on the Special Correspondents List.

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October 17, 1969

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Awards Department
Freedoms Foundation at Valley Forge
Valley Forge, Pennsylvania 19681

Gentlemen:

I would like the honor of proposing for your consideration as you make your awards this year the book entitled, "I. Edgar Hoover on Communism" authored by J. Edgar Hoover, the distinguished Director of the Federal Bureau of Investigation.

I know of no man who has done more for his country or to foster patriotism and speak forthrightly in the cause of freedom than Mr. Hoover. His record speaks for itself, and his latest book is a timely one which should be included in libraries of all loyal Americans.

Legion, I will appreciate any consideration which can be given to this submission.

Sincerely yours,

EXIM

WILLIAM F. HAUCK National Adjutant

bcc: Mr. C. D. DeLoach

Mr. C. D. DeLoach Assistant to the Director Federal Bureau of Investigation Department of Justice Washington, D. C. 20530

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October 30, 1969

94-1-17998-1921

Reverend William Doran Curtis

National Chaplain

National Headquarters

The American Legion

Post Office Box 1055

Indianapolis, Indiana 46206

Dear Father Curtis:

Your letter of October 22nd has been received and I am deeply appreciative of your generous remarks concerning my work. This expression of confidence by the Department Chaplains means a great deal to me and I hope that my future endeavors will continue to merit your approbation. Please convey my sentiments to your associates.

MAILED 24 OCT 5 0 1969 Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

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October 22, 1969

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Mr. Conrad. Mr. Felt. Mr. Rosen.

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Tele. Room_ Miss Holmes. Miss Gandy.

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover, Director The Federal Bureau of Investigation Washington, D.C. 20535

My Dear Mr. Hoover:

-NATIONAL

At the recent National Chaplains' Meeting for the Department Chaplains of THE AMERICAN LEGION, held at the National Headquarters at Indianapolis, Indiana, the vote was unanimously given that I address this correspondence to you.

As a group of clergymen of all denominations, involved and dedicated to the principles enunciated by and through THE AMERICAN LEGION, we are only too well aware of the many challenges that come before you in your efforts to stem the tide of influences seeking the destruction of our country. The encouragement of immorality and amorality, the studied indifference to the enunciation of fundamental principles of freedom and democracy, the scoffing attempts to ridicule the sacred, the holy, and the dignified; all of these, and more, command your efforts to erase them from the land. Our energies are consumed in like manner in the various communities in which we labor, and the empathy in these matters affords us an appreciation of your efforts. We wish to state this appreciation unequivocally.

It is our unanimous desire to be on record as clergymen who stand with you 100% in all of your efforts to keep the Nation strong and healthy -- and to stand before the nations of the world with the utmost confidence in itself. Such confidence can be achieved only through the preservation of religious values which underscore every sacred principle of democratic procedure.

Please accept our expression of confidence and the spirit of joy with which we forward this to you -- and I add my own personal word of confidence to you in these days of besetting challenge to your work.

Respectfully in Christ,

Father William Doran Curtis NATIONAL CHAPLAIN

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Mr. Bishop:

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RE: FREEDOM FOUNDATION AWARDS

As you know, the deadline for submission of awards to Freedom Foundation is November 1st each year. It is suggested that for this year we have the Director's new book entitled, "J. Edgar Hoover on Communism" submitted for an award. The submission can some from our good friend Bill Hauck, National Adjutant of The American Legion. —NATIONAL

If you agree, there is attached a rough draft of a suitable letter for Hauck's signature.

M. A. Jones

Enclosure

- Mr. DeLoach

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November 20, 1969

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To: SAC, San Juan

From: Director, FBI

J. MILTON PATRICK NATIONAL COMMANDER THE AMERICAN LEGION NATIONAL

U.S.A There is attached a copy of an itinerary for captioned individual and his party for their visit to Puerto Rico, December 1-4, 1969. You are requested to meet Patrick and party upon arrival and extend usual courtesies during their stay in Puerto Rico. A copy of this itinerary is being furnished to Miami for information purposes.

Enclosure

1 - Miami - Enclosure

1 - Mr. DeLoach - Enclosure

1 - Mr. Bishop - Enclosure

NOTE: The Washington Office of The American Legion furnished Mr. DeLoach the attached itinerary for the National Commander and requested assistance. We have in the past extended usual courtesies on their travels outside of the

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Tentative Schedule for the visit of The National Commander to Puerto Rico - Monday, December 1 to Thursday, December 4, 1969

Monday - December 1, 1969

11:45 a.m. Arrival on PAA Flight No. 445. Will be met by Government,

Armed Forces and Legion Officials.

12:00 noon Press Conference at airport in Clipper Club of PAA. PAA

will deliver baggage to Puerto Rico Sheraton Hotel.

1:00 p. m. Move to Puerto Rico Sheraton. Transportation by Legion

3:00 - 4:00 p. m. Call on the Governor of Puerto Rico, The Honorable Luis A. Ferre

5:30 - 7:00 p. m. Tour of San Juan Bay - Courtesy of Rear Admiral Matter.

7:00 p. m. Rest of evening free.

Tuesday - December 2, 1969

9:00 a. m. Call on Rear Admiral Alfred R. Matter

9:30 a.m. Depart for Roosevelt Roads. Transportation to be furnished by Navy.

(Mrs. Patrick will not accompany Commander. She may rest or go

shopping with

10:00-11:30 a.m. Briefing and tour of Base.

12:00 noon to

2:00 p. m. Luncheon in Officers Club. Courtest of Roosevelt Roads Legion Post.

2:30 p.m. Depart for San Juan

5:30 p. m. Reception by Rear Admiral Matter.

8:00 p. m. Dinner in a Night Club - Courtesy of National Vice Commander and NEC.

Wednesday - December 3, 1969

9:30 a. m. Depart for Ramey Air Force Base

10:15 a. m. Arrival at Ramey Air Force Base

10:15 - 12:00 noon Briefing and tour of Base.

12:00 - 2:00 p.m. Luncheon with Base officials and Legionnaires from District of

Mayaquez, Aguadilla and Arecibo.

2:15 p. m. Depart for Ponce

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Wendesday - December 3, 1969

3:00 p. m. Arrival in Ponce

3:00 - 5:00 p.m. Reception at City Hall of Ponce by Post NEC, Juan H. Cintron,

Mayor of Ponce to be coordinated by Alt. NEC, Mr. W. Feliciano.

(Note: Mrs. Patrick and will take this trip).

5:20 p. m. Depart for San Juan - Rest of evening free.

Thursday, December 4, 1969

11:00 a. m. . Briefing by Mr. Edward Christensen, Director of VA Center

in Puerto Rico (Conference Room New Hospital).

11:30 a. m. Meet Key Staff of Hospital

(New auditorium)

12:00 noon -

1:30 p. m. Lunch given by Mr. Edward Christensen to National Commander

and party.

(Mrs. Patrick may not want to go on visit to VA Center. You can

make that decision when you arrive in Puerto Rico).

8:00 p. m. Banquet in honor of The National Commander and Mrs. Patrick

and Aide. Sponsored by the Department of Puerto Rico.

Friday - December 5, 1969

Entire day free.

Saturday, December 6, 1969

10:45 a. m. Leave San Juan PAA Flight 442 (727) non-stop and lunch.

12:15 p. m. Arrive Miami

2:25 p. m. Leave Miami - National Flight No. 37 (DCA)

3:07 p.m. Arrive Melbourne.

Florida Mid-Winter Conference at the Cape Kennedy Hilton.

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Memorandum

TO

MR. TOLSON

FROM

C. D. DeLoach

SUBJECT:

AMERICAN LEGION PROGRAM IN SUPPORT OF PRESIDENT'S VIETNAM POLICIES DATE:

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I thought you and the Director would like to know of a project currently being handled by the American Legion which is proving to be quite inspiring---particularly in view of the hordes of unwashed, unkempt, filthy individuals seen on Pennsylvania Avenue last Saturday, protesting the U.S. policies in the Vietnam war.

The American Legion has sent tremendous numbers of simple petitions to all of its 16,500 posts throughout the United States. The petitions call for signatures to be affixed thereon by people who wish to indicate their support of the President and his Vietnam policies. The Legion gets a daily count from the various states throughout the country, and the results have been overwhelming. In one day alone, 200,000 signatures were secured in the City of Chicago. The Legion's goal of 50,000,000 signatures will be reached before sixty days are up.

I think, by the same token, that the so-called "silent majority" who now are beginning to awaken and speak out very much represent the same type of individuals who support the Director and the FBI. These people wish to be heard and they are supporting the American Legion's project in a very admirable fashion.

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For the Director's information.

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December 3, 1969

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Honorable J. Milton Patrick
National Commander
The American Legion
Post Office Box 1055
Indianapolis, Indiana 46206

D,C,

Dear Mr. Patrick:

Enclosed is a copy of the December, 1969, issue of "The Investigator," the employee publication of the FBI. I thought you might like to have this copy as the photograph taken in my office during your visit to FBI. Headquarters appears on page 16.

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Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

Enclosure

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NOTE: His address and salutation per Special Correspondents List.

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OPTIONAL FORM NO. 10 MA 1962 EDITION CSA PPMR (41 CFR) 101-11.6 UNITED STATES Mr. Walters M. Mohr *1emorandum* Bisho Mr. Casper Mr. Callahan Mr. Conrad DIRECTOR, FBI DATE: 12/8/69 Mr. Felt, Mr. Gale . Eig Mr. Rosen Mr. Sullivan (136-2)AC, SAN JUAN Mr. Tavel . Mr. Soyars Tele. Room Miss_Holmes NATIONAL COMMANDER Miss Gandy THE AMERICAN LEGION -ReBuairtel, 11/20/69. Commander PATRICK and party, consisting of his wife and Aide were met upon arrival in San Juan by me and SA and the usual I also saw them off at the courtesies were extended. airport on Saturday, 12/6/69, when they departed for return to Florida. Commander PATRICK was high in his praises of the Director and the Bureau and was most appreciative of the courtesies extended. REC-123 EX 110 Bureau San Juan 94-1-19 CDA:mjb (3.)18 DEC 777 1969 ORIMF MARGEON Buy U.S. Savings Bonds Regularly on the Payroll Savings Plan

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To: LEGAT Mexico City

From: Director, FBI

J. MILTON PATRICK NATIONAL COMMANDER

THE AMERICAN LEGION NATIONAL

There is attached for all offices receiving a copy of this correspondence the itinerary for Patrick and his party for a forthcoming trip to Mexico. Please meet and extend usual courtesies to this party upon their arrival in your respective cities.

is Aide to the National For information, Commander. Mr. W. F. Hauck is National Adjutant of The American Legion and Mr. J. S. Whitfield is Executive Director of the Indianapolis, Indiana, office of that organization.

Enclosure

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MEXICAN TRIP FLIGHT SCHEDULE

Cmdr. and Mrs. Patrick,
Mr. and Mrs

Saturday, March 8

American Flight # 93

Lv. Dulles

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(Customs)

Aeronauves Airlines

Flight AM 201

Lv. Mexico City

Ar. Acapulco

Ar. Mexico City

4:30 p.m.

5:15 p.m.

Thursday, March 12

Aeronauves Airlines

Flight AM 310

Lv. Acapulco

Ar. Mexico City

1:30 p.m.

2:15 p.m.

Monday, March 16

American Flight #58

Lv. Mexico City

Ar. San Antonio

8:20 a.m. 10:07 a.m. 10:55 a.m.

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Commander Patrick and

Delta Flight 886

Lv. Dallas

2:30 p.m. (for Atlanta)

Mrs. Patrick

Braniff #156

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Lv. Dallas

1:40 p.m. (for Tulsa)

Mr. and Mrs

American #496

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3:30 p.m. (for Indianapolis)

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Mr. Tolson 67C OPTIONAL FORM NO. 10 MAY 1962 EDITION GSAFPMR (41 CFR) 101-11.6 Mr. Del oach Mr. Walters. UNITED STATES GOV NMENT Mr. Bishop Mr. Casper. lemorandum Mr. Callahan Mr. Conrad. Mr. Felt. Director, FBI 3/17/70Mr. Gale . Mr. Rosen Mr. Sullivan . egat, Mexico City (80-56) Mr. Tavel . (RUC) Mr. Soyars . Tele. Room -Miss Holmes . SUBJECT: _ J __ MILTON_PATRICK Miss Gandy, NATIONAL COMMANDER THE AMERICAN LEGION - We -ReBuairtel 2/9/70 enclosing the itinerary for the trip of Commander PATRICK and his party to Mexico. In accordance with Bureau instructions, Commander PATRICK and his party were met on arrival at the Mexico City Airport on Sunday, March 8, and rendered all possible assistance in clearing Mexican Immigration and Customs and in transferring to their flight for Acapulco. Upon their return to Mexico City on Thursday, March 12, they were met and assistance was given to the local representatives of the American Legion to meet them on their arrival. The 5 writer also attended the reception given to Commander PATRICK by the Mexico City American Legion group on the evening of Friday, March 13. Commander PATRICK and his party were also given all possible assistance at the time of their departure from Mexico City on Monday, March 16, at 8:20 a.m., en route to San Antonio and Dallas, Texas As the Bureau is aware, Commander PATRICK and the Legion officials who accompanied him are ardent supporters of the Bureau. They appeared to appreciate very much the Bureau's consideration in arranging for the assistance given them. was a genuine pleasure on the part of the writer, as well as No. One Man and Assistant Legal Attache who assisted in the various courtesies extended to Commander PATRICK and his party, to have met them. Bureau (1 - Liaison Section) - Mexico City NLF/ako 1=297

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OPTIONAL FORM NO. 10-MAY 1962 EDITION-GSA FPMR (41 CFR) 101-11.6 UNITED STATES COVERNMENT Lach lemorandum . Ors . 77. ŤΟ DIRECTOR, FBI DATE: 3/30/7:Qad FROM (DALLAS (80-930) ...van SUBJECT: . MILTON PATRICK NATIONAL COMMANDER THE AMERICAN LEGION INFORMATION CONCERNING Re Bureau airtel, 2/9/70. This is to advise that Commander PATRICK and party were met in accordance with Bureau instructions at Dallas on 3/16/70. REC 17 2) - Bureau 1 - Dallas VED:mfr Buy U.S. Savings Bonds Regularly on the Payroll Savings Plan

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MR. TOLSON

: C. D. DE LOACH

SUBJECT: MEETINGS OF NATIONAL EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE THE AMERICAN LEGION, INDIANAPOLIS, INDIANA

MAY 4 - 7, 1970

The Commander's Advisory Committee, the National Executive Committee, and the National Public Relations Commission will meet in Indianapolis, Indiana, beginning May 4th and ending up during the afternoon of May 7, 1970. The Commission of which I am Chairman, The National Public Relations Commission, will meet beginning at 9:00 a.m., Monday, May 4th, and continue through Tuesday P.M., May 5, 1970. I am scheduled to report to the National Executive Committee at 10:30 a.m., May 6th, regarding the deliberations of my Commission as well as justifying next fiscal year's budget.

DATE:

I do not need to be at these meetings the entire time. The Vice Chairman can preside on Monday, May 4th. I would appreciate being allowed to be in Indianapolis on Tuesday, May 5th, and Wednesday morning, May 6th. I would be back at my desk here in Washington on Wednesday afternoon, consequently, I would be gone only one and one-half days. My presence is needed in Indianapolis for the following reasons:

> 1) To make certain that Jimmy Stahlman, Publisher, "The Nashville Banner," Nashville, Tennessee, is nominated for the Legion's coveted Fourth Estate Award;

94-1-17998-2) To make certain that Jenkin Lloyd Jones, Editor, "The Tulsa Tribune," is nominated for the same Award;

3) Budget justification;

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4) Participation in seven-man Commander's Advisory Committee regarding policy matters for new fiscal year.

There is no need for both Special Agents Donald G. Hanning and Thomas B. Coll to attend the meetings of the National Americanism Commission and the National Counter-Subversive Activities Committee. SA Coll can handle both activities on this occasion. He is needed because of the many deliberations taking place in both Committees which will be 59 Meniater 1970 FBI jurisdiction.

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DeLoach to Mr. Tolson Re: Meeting of National Executive Committee The American Legion, Indianapolis, Indiana

ACTION:

That I be allowed to attend one and one-half days of; captioned meetings.

That SA Thomas B. Coll attend meetings of both the National Americanism Commission and Counter-Subversive Activities Committee.

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OPTIONAL FORM NO. 10 GSA GEN, REG, NO. 27 UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT DeLoach Walters Mohr . emorandum Bishop Callahan Contad Felt Mr. Bishop DATE: May 7, 1970 Gale Sullivan Tavel M. A. Jones Soyars Tele. Room Holmes AMERICAN LEGION SPRING MEETINGS SUBJECT: INDIANAPOLIS, INDIANA MAY 4-6, 1970 With the Director's approval, Special Agent Thomas B. Coll attended the spring meetings of The American Legion from Monday, 5/4, until returning to the city last evening, 5/6/70. b7C During these meetings certain matters were considered which I thought would be of interest to the Director and the Bureau. Through Mr. DeLoach's telephonic arrangements the National Public Relations Commission unanimously voted to award The American Legion's coveted Fourth Estate Award to James G. Stahlman, Chairman of the Board of the Nashville Tennessean, and Jenkin Lloyd Jones, Editor and Publisher of the Tulsa Tribune. These awards will be presented to Messrs. at The American Legion National Convention in Portland, Oregon, August 28 - September 3, 1970. During the meetings of the Public Relations Commission considerable discussion was devoted to plans for carrying out the public relations effort in connection with the 1970 convention and the report of the Commission was approved by the National Executive Committee on Wednesday morning, May 6, 1970. During the report it was pointed out that the National Commander of The American Legion had an article entitled "Let Us Stand Up for America" which appeared in the May issue of the FBI Law Enforcement Bulletin. Copies of this article were furnished to all members of the National Executive Committee. ST-110 The Americanism Commission of The American Medion 1970 met on May 4-5, 1970, and, among other things, considered several resolutions which were referred from the National Convention in Atlanta, Georgia, last fall. Most of these resolutions dealt with respect for the American flag and desecration of the flag by individuals connected with several liberal groups in the country and also with prayers in the school and in public places. One resolution which was considered and passed concerned Senate Bill Number 12, The Internal Security Act of 1969 Enclosure 4IN U 1 - Mr. DeLoach-enclosure CONTINUED OVER 1 - Mr. Bishop-enclosure TBC:kjs/mjj 1 - M. A. Jones-enclosure 54 MAY 18 1970

M. A. Jones to Bishop Memo

RE: AMERICAN LEGION SPRING MEETINGS

has been introduced by Senator James O. Eastland (D-Mississippi). The Legion resolution strongly endorses this particular legislation and urges its early passage.

During the meetings the Foreign Relations Commission and the National Security Commission met in joint session and enacted a strong resolution giving wholehearted support to the President's actions with regard to Southeast Asia and called upon the members of Congress and the American people as a whole to give the same support. A copy of the resolution is attached.

Several of the top leaders of the Legion advised confidentially that in accordance with previous discussions they have had with Mr. DeLoach and other Legion officials, Alfred Chamie of California will be elected to the office of National Commander in Portland, Oregon, for the year 1970-71. Mr. Chamie, who is well-known to the Bureau, asked that his regards be extended to his friends in the Bureau and indicated that he would be in contact with us sometime during the next few weeks as he plans to be in Washington.

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For information.

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(Five copies to Chairman of Sub-Committee on Resolutions)

National Headquarters, The American Legion

National Executive Committee Meeting - May 6-7, 1970

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WHEREAS, Negotiations with the North Vietnamese and Vietcong delegations in Paris for a political settlement of the Vietnam conflict have failed to produce any results whatever; and

WHEREAS, The enemy has not only greatly stepped up its offensive military action in South Vietnam, but has also expanded the area of its aggressive operations into Laos and Cambodia; and

WHEREAS, The enemy's intensification of the conflict in the whole of Indochina seriously endangers the success of our Vietnamization program and threatens the safety of the remaining American and allied troops in South Vietnam; and

WHEREAS, The President of the United States has initiated a program for the elimination of enemy sanctuaries presently enjoyed and utilized to a high degree, thwarting our efforts to achieve victory in Vietnam; now, therefore, be it

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June 24, 1970

Mrs. Roscoe Turner

Opnemen Legion-National aka. Madonna Turner

Indianapolis, Indiana 46224

Dear Mrs. Turner:

I was indeed sorry to learn of the passing of your husband and want to extend my heartfelt sympathy to you. While words are most inadequate at a time like this, I hope you will derive some measure of comfort from knowing that his friends share your grief.

Sincerely yours,

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NOTE: Mr. Turner was on the Special Correspondents List. Bureau files reflect nothing derogatory regarding him and limited cordial correspondence. Address per Who's Who.

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Held Six Speed Trophies

Roscoe Turner Dies; Air Ace of '30s

Col. Roscoe Turner, 74, a renowned air racer of the 1930s with a showman's flair that prompted him to keep a lion named Gilmore in his cockpit, died yesterday in an Indianapolis hospital after a long illness.

Eddie Rickenbacker, himself one of the nation's great flyers, said in 1938 that Col. Turner had done more for aviation than any man in the United States.

Col. Turner's daring escapades in the sky won him a host of trophies, including three victories each in the Thompson and Bendix races, considered the pinnacle of speed flying in their day.

Among the trademarks that made Col. Turner a familiar figure to flying enthusiasts were his needlepointed and waxed mustache and the immaculate blue uniform that he designed for himself, alongwith a diamond-encrusted \$5,000 wing pin.

Gilmore, the tame lion, flew more than 25,000 miles with Col. Turner. At hotels, so the story went, the flier register simply, "Turner and Gilmore." In all, Col. Turner estimated that he had flown 3 million miles in his career.

Later in life, he turned to business and became board chairman of the Roscoe Turner Aeronautical Corp., a flight school and aircraft sales and service facility at Indianapolis' Weir Cook Airport.

He also was a fervant advocate of the use of bombers in wartime and served as



Col. Roscoe Aurner and his pet lion, Gilmore.

chairman of the aeronautics and space committee of the American Legion.

Col. Turner was born in Corinth, Miss. His parents wanted him to be a banker; he preferred to be a railroad engineer, but the idea was vetoed by his father as being too dangerous.

He started at business school but quit to drive a taxicab. He said he was bitten by the aviation bug in 1916 when the federal government sent some training planes to the old Memphis Driving Park. He tried to join up but the Army offi-

17000 MM cers in charge weren't interested.

A month after the United States entered World War I. Col. Turner enlisted in the ambulance corps and eventually was transferred to the: balloon service as an ob-server. He won a commission and was discharged in 1919 as a first lieutenant.

The title "colonel" came from his place on the staffs of the governors of Nevada California. awarded him the title after he carried them on a oneday flight from Washington to Los Angeles in 1932.

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After the war, Col. Turner's first job was as a lion-tamer. Then he turned to parachute jumping with an air circus and qualified as a pilot and stunt flyer. His distance speed flying began in 1930 when he set an east-west transcontinental record of 18 hours, 43 minutes.

It was as a stunt flier that Col. Turner evolved his flamboyant style. At an air meet, one observer of the day commented that, amid the fliers in grease-stained coveralls, "he was as conspicuous as a shake-crowned drum major on a golf course."

Devon Francis, an aviation writer of the 1930s, said of Col. Turner: "He is one of those simple souls who loves to sit around the cracker barrel and spin yarns. He is unhappy when he can't get a dozen other people to eat with him. He takes as much pride in his accomplishments as a bride does in her first biscuits."

Col. Turner had his financial ups and downs partly because he spent \$200,000 or speed planes during his hey day. But prizes, like the \$22,000 he collected for the Thompson trophy, helped him to keep solvent.

A friend remembers the pilot once saying. "When I get so old I can't come here and look over the field and hear the engines, I want to die."

Col. Tuener is survived by his wife, Madonna and a brother, William.

Memorandum to Mr. Bishop

Re: 1970 American Legion National Convention Portland, Oregon; 8/28 - 9/3/70

the major banquet during the NDAA meeting. It is, of course, possible that New Leftists going to Portland will be there early and may also attempt to disrupt NDAA activities including Mr. Mitchell's appearance.

RECOMMENDATION:

For information.

OPTIONAL FORM NO. 10 MAY,1962 EDITION GSA GEN, REG. NO. 27 UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT $\it 1emorandum$ Callahan TO MR. TOLSON DATE: July 22, 1970 Walters W. M. FELT FROM Tele, Room MERICAN LEGION LIAISON PROGRAM SUBJECT: During recently completed inspection of Crime Records Division, inquiry was made concerning scope of liaison with American Legion and as to extent liaison should be continued. For many years former Assistant to the Director DeLoach handled liaison with American Legion where he was very active and attained policy-making level. He was assisted in this liaison by Supervisors Donald G. Hanning and Thomas B. Coll, of Crime Records Division. Crime Records Division advised Hanning and Coll both

spend four working days each year at National Convention and approximately two days each at spring and fall meetings held at American Legion National Headquarters, Indianapolis, Indiana, for total of 16 man days per year.

Supervisor Hanning is Chief of 6-man Research Unit. In addition to assignment of work and supervision and reading of finished products, he also participates in all types of assignments in Unit such as researching articles for the Director's by-line, special memoranda, analysis of articles relating to Bureau, assistance to outside writers, briefs for the Director and other varied assignments. He personally handles and coordinates' the Director's brief for Attorney General's conferences. Hanning has been active in American Legion at national level for 17 years. He is on first in ame basis with Legion officials and is member of National Americanism Committee. He is in excellent position to carry on effective liaison with Legion.

Supervisor Coll is assigned to the Special Productions Unit to participation in all regular functions of Unit, Cold correlates with substantive Division and prepares national press releases, handles all press material relating to the National Academy and supervision and coordination of Uniform Crime releases. He is also responsible for monitoring all radio and television programs of interest to Bureau. Coll has been active in Legion at national level-for 10 years. He is member of Counter Subversive Activities Committee L GO JUL 28 1970

OBSERVATIONS:

The Crime Records Division strongly recommends continuation of our liaison with Legion since this important organization nationally engages in activities

1 - Messrs. Sullivan, Bishop WMF:wmj

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Memo for Mr. Tolson

Re: American Legion Liaison Program

which touch on FBI jurisdiction and because of public relations value of this liaison. Through the years the Legion has been a strong supporter of the Bureau.

The scope of our liaison will be cut back in view of the recent retirement of DeLoach. However, it will be adequate and desirable to continue the liaison program with Supervisor Hanning designated as the Bureau's representative and Supervisor Coll as the assistant. In view of their past activities in Legion it is felt that both should continue in their present committee assignments, which will involve attendance at National conventions and the spring and fall meetings at Indianapolis. Total time involved in this liaison is minimal.

RECOMMENDATION:

That we continue liaison with the American Legion with Supervisors Hanning and Coll.

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ADDENDUM (7/22/70) -

At this particular time I do not see the need to maintain any extensive liaison with the American Legion. we have a need for all the manpower we can muster. Therefore, I recommend reducing our liaison with the American Legion to the point where one man could handle it.

ADDENDUM:

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The above has been called to the attention of SAs Hanning and Coll. SA Hanning in the future will handle American Legion liaison.

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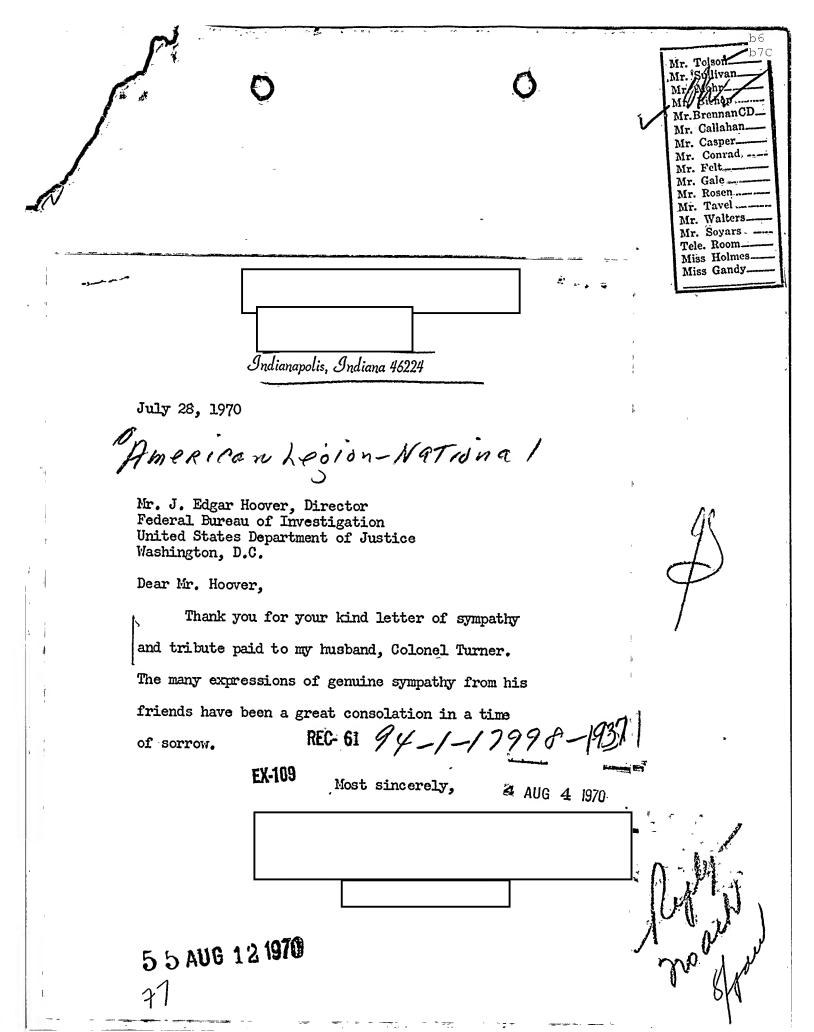
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REC-35 EX-100 August 3, 1970 94-1-17998-1938 Honorable J. Milton/Patrick National Commander The American Legion Post Office Box 1055 Indianapolis, Indiana 46206 Dear Mr. Patrick: It was indeed thoughtful of you to write as you did on July 27th and I am pleased to know of the esteem in which you hold my associates. The close cooperation which has existed between the FBI and The American Legion over the years has meant a great deal to me personally and to my associates. I am most appreciative of your kind remarks and continued staunch support. Sincerely yours. J. Edgar Hoover

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Personal Attention: Bring to the attention of Special Agents

Donald G. Hanning and Thomas B. Coll.

- Personnel File of Special Agent Donald G. Hanning - Enclosure - Personnel File of Special Agent Thomas B. Coll - Enclosure NOTE: Mr. Patrick is on the Special Correspondents List. Letter addressed to him at National Headquarters of The American Legion

rather than the Washington Office. Special Agents Hanning and Coll are assigned to Crime Records Division - Per, Mr. Hanning Commander

Patrick has returned to Indianapolis.

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1009 July 27, 1970

The Honorable J. Edgar Hoover, Director Federal Bureau of Investigation Department of Justice Washington, D. C. 20530

Dear Mr. Hoover:

With the departure of Cartha D. DeLoach from your organization,
I did want to express the appreciation of myself and The American Legion — WATTOWA'
for his untiring effort and devotion over the years in the close bond of
comradeship between the FBI and the Legion. Truly, his personal zeal
and dedication to the FBI, his intense loyalty to you, and his spirit of
cooperation with all his associates were indeed remarkable examples to
all of us.

The common goal of promoting patriotism and making America strong has always been a cornerstone of the FBI-Legion alliance. Mr. DeLoach, with the knowledge and expertise so typically the far-famed FBI, has indeed proved to be a most valuable partner in our deliberations and activities. In addition, I would be remiss if I did not also mention the outstanding dedication and assistance on the part of Donald G. Hanning and Thomas B. Coll, who so ably and selflessly assisted Mr. DeLoach. Through the work and spirit of these men, the esprit de corps and effectiveness of the FBI has been brought firsthand to our organization. They too, exemplify the motto of The American Legion "For God and Country."

I surely hope that these men will be able to carry on the excellent cooperation that has been responsible for our success in the concerted effort to make a better America. My personal congratulations to you for the outstanding organization you have founded and guided these many years and for the inspiration you afford to the men who so loyally serve you.

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MILTON PATRICK

National Commander

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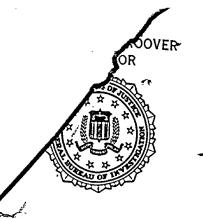
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Federal Bureau of Investigation United States Department of Justice Washington, D. C.

July 31, 1970

Honorable J. Milton Patrick National Commander The American Legion Post Office Box 1055 Indianapolis, Indiana 46206

Dear Mr. Patrick:

It was indeed thoughtful of you to write as you did on July 27th and I am pleased to know of the esteem in which you hold my associates. The close cooperation which has existed between the FBI and The American Legion over the years has meant a great deal to me personally and to my associates.

Mr. DeLoach will, of course, be sorely missed but I certainly expect the close association developed over the years between our organizations to continue.

I am most appreciative of your kind remarks and continued staunch support.

Sincerely yours,

94-1-17998-1938 ENCLOSURE

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